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Theatre-Royal.

On SATURDAY will be presented,
The Favourite Comedy of
LOVERS VOWS.
To which will be added,
For the 2d time, an entire new Pantomime, called,
HARLEQUIN AND DOCTOR FAUSTUS,
OR,
THE DEVIL WILL HAVE HIS OWN.
Under the direction of Signior MARTINELLI.
With all the original Music, new and magnificent Scenery, and every other Decoration, with all the necessary Machinery, &c.
As performed at the Theatre Royal, Covent Garden, upwards of 100 nights, with repeated testimonies of approbation.
Harlequin, - - Mr SCRIVEN.
Clown, - - Signior MARTINELLI,
Being his second appearance in this kingdom.
Doctor Faustus, - Mr BEW.
Columbine, - Madame FREDERICK.
In the course of the Pantomime will be displayed, among other New and Elegant Scenery, painted by Mr COOPER,
A REPRESENTATION OF TARTARUS,
Exhibiting the punishment of SYSIPHUS, TANTALUS, IXION, TITIUS, and PHLEGYAS.
A LANDSCAPE.
THE GARDEN OF DOCTOR FAUSTUS.
THE INSIDE OF A FOUNDRY.
A TOWER IN THE SEA.
THE INFERNAL REGION,
WITH A REGION OF FIRE.
AND
THE TEMPLE OF GLORY.

FOR THE BENEFIT OF MR. WOODS.
On MONDAY EVENING next, April 8, will be presented,
(NEVER ACTED HERE)
A New Comedy, now performing in London with the greatest applause, called
THE SECRET.
Mr Dorville, - Mr WOODS.
Jack Lizard, - - Mr SIDDONS.
Mr Torrid, - Mr WILDE.
Henry Torrid, - Mr BEW,
Sir Harry Fleetly, - Mr SCRIVEN.
Lizard, - Mr ROCK.
Lady Esther Dorville, - Miss KEMBLE.
Miss Susan Lizard, - Miss BIGGS.
Rosa, - Miss F. KEMBLE.
At the end of the Play,
A FAVOURITE DANCE—by Madame FREDERICK.
To which will be added,
The Favourite Musical Entertainment of
THE AGREEABLE SURPRISE.
Lingo, - - - Mr SCRIVEN.
Laura, - Mrs CLENDENING,
In which character she will introduce the favourite Song of
THE SOLDIER TIR'D.
And Cowslip, - Mrs KEMBLE.
Tickets to be had of Mr WOODS, No. 3, St James's Street, and at the Office of the Theatre.

MR SIDDONS
Most respectfully informs the Nobility, Ladies, and Gentlemen, and the Public in general, that
HIS BENEFIT
Is fixed for WEDNESDAY next, April 10,
On which Evening will be performed,
THE CASTLE SPECTRE.
With the Grand Dramatic Romance of
BLUE BEARD.
Tickets to be had of Mr SIDDONS, at Mrs Garvey's Caltonhill.

GEORGE STREET ASSEMBLY ROOMS.
THE SUBSCRIBERS and the Public are respectfully informed, that the SEVENTH PROFESSIONAL CONCERT will be held on Tuesday the 9th instant; to begin precisely at eight o'clock.
*** Subscribers will please to send for their Transferable Tickets to Mess. Corri & Co. No. 37, North Bridge Street.—Admittance Tickets to Non-subscribers, 5s. each, to be had at all the Music Shops, and at the door of the Assembly Room.

ROYAL COMPANY OF ARCHERS.
THE SUMMER MEETINGS commence on Saturday the 13th instant, and continue every second Saturday till the end of October, excepting that the General Election always happens on the second Monday of June, the Edinburgh Arrow Day on the first, and the King's Prize Day on the third Monday of July.

CALEDONIAN HUNT.
THE MEMBERS are requested to meet at Fortune's, on Tuesday the 9th inst.
The EARL of DALKEITH, Preses.
WM. and HENRY HAGART, Secs.

THE FORREST CLUB meets at Dun's Inn, Selkirk, on Tuesday 9th April.
Mr PRINGLE of Torwoodlee, in the Chair.
Mr WILLIAMSON of Cardrona, Croupier.
Dinner three o'clock.

CARRIAGE HORSES FOR SALE.
TO BE SOLD,
A PAIR of English Bred BAY CARRIAGE HORSES, remarkably handsome, powerful, steady in harness, and great goers. They are fully 16 hands high, seven years old, and have done very little work. Price 80l.
Apply to Mess. Horne, Cleghorn, and Wilson, coach-makers, or Mr Dumbreck, St Andrew's Square.

NEW HOPS FOR SALE.
A QUANTITY of the very best fine EAST KENT and FARNHAM HOPS, in Bags and Pockets.
Apply to James Connel, Leith. LEITH, March 22, 1799.

FLAX SEED AND MAHOGANY.
For Sale, by the Subscriber,
TWO Hundred Hogsheads Prime BOSTON, superior to any Flax Seed at present at this market.
Sixty Logs HONDURAS MAHOGANY, of various dimensions and excellent quality.
ROBERT WILLIAMSON.
GREENOCK, March 28. 1799.

HOUSE AND BOWLING GREEN TO BE LET.
THE HOUSE and BOWLING-GREEN at George Heriot's Hospital to be LET at Whitsunday next, for one or more years.
Proposals to be delivered to Mr Jackson, South Bridge Street, betwixt and Saturday the 13th curt.
EDIN. 1st April 1799.
N. B. The House and Green will be put in a proper state of repair.

A HOUSE,
With a GARDEN and PARK to LET,
Within a few minutes walk of the New Town.
THAT HOUSE at Stockbridge, presently possessed by Mr Raeburn, consisting of eight rooms, kitchen, &c. with stable, byre, and many other conveniencies.
The Garden, which is sufficient for a pretty large family, and well stocked with fruit trees, with the park, contains near about two acres. Rent 45l.
To be seen every day betwixt 12 and 3 o'clock.

HOUSE IN PRINCE's STREET.
TO BE SOLD,
THAT HOUSE possessed by Mr Cameron as a hotel. From being without the Royalty, it is free of impost duties.
For particulars, apply to John Syme, writer to the signet.

FOR ACCOUNT OF THE MANUFACTURERS,
Exempt from the Auction Duty, agreeable to Act of Parliament.
JOHN WHITFIELD AND CO.
Will put up to Public SALE at their Warehouses, New Rents, St Martins Le Grand, London, on Wednesday the 1st and Thursday the 2d May,
A Large and Valuable Assortment of BRITISH MANUFACTURED PIECE GOODS.—Further particulars and catalogues may be had in due time.
J. W. & Co. beg to inform the Manufacturers, that such Goods as are intended for the above Sale must be delivered to them by the 26th April at the latest.

SCHOOLMASTER WANTED.
THE Parochial School of CONTIN, in the County of Ross, being now vacant, this is to intimate, that any person who wishes to propose himself to fill the office of Schoolmaster there, may address himfelf, personally or by letter, to Kenneth Mackenzie, Esq. at Millbank, near Dingwall, or to Sir George Mackenzie of Coul, Bart. in Edinburgh.
Besides the usual Salary and Perquisites, Sir George Mackenzie proposes to give such an additional allowance as may make the situation worthy of being solicited by an able teacher.
It is unnecessary for any one to offer who is not well qualified to teach besides English, Latin and and Greek, Writing, Arithmetic, Book-keeping, Mathematics, and Geography.—Proper testimonials of Moral Character will also be required
No time is to be lost on applying, as it is intended to fix a choice at the ensuing term of Whitsunday.

ESTIMATES WANTED, AND GROUND FOR BUILDING HOUSES ON TO BE FEUED.
Burntisland, March 30, 1799.
THE Magistrates and Town Council of Burntisland, being desirous of affording every accommodation in their power to those concerned in the Herring Fishery, have resolved, that a commodious Quay or Wharff should be built from the east side of the present landing place, called the Heron Craig, extending along the east shore about 354 feet, but that only about 200 feet of it shall be built this season, and the Heron Craig 132 feet in length repaired. They have also resolved to Feu some ground for building houses upon—this is therefore to give notice, that Estimates for building the said new Quay with rubble work, and for repairing the Heron Craig with ashlet, will be received till the 8th April 1799, when there will be a Meeting of Council to consider of the same.
For particulars enquire at the Magistrates.
N. B. It is required that the estimates may be sealed and addressed to the chief magistrate, and that a note be inclosed within the same also sealed, expressing the person's name, and which notes will not be opened till the Meeting of Council on the 8th April.

A HOUSE WANTED,
FOR SEA BATHING QUARTERS, not above four miles from Edinburgh. It must be of such dimensions as to accommodate a genteel family (if furnished, the more agreeable.) Nothing less will suit than a house with a dining-room, drawing-room, three or four bed-chambers, a kitchen, &c. with accommodation for three maids and two men servants, a coach-house that will hold two carriages, with a stable containing four or five stalls.
Any having such to let will please apply personally, or by letter, to Mr Leslie, seed and nursery man, Edinburgh.

LIMESHELLS AT COWSLAND FOR SALE.
MR WIGHT having obtained liberty from Sir John Dalrymple to burn Limestone for Sale, he has erected a Drawkiln on the best construction at the east end of the village of Cowsland, where the country may depend on a ready and constant supply of Limeshells at 13d. per boll, ready money; and 14d. per boll, three months credit. The boll shall contain 4 firlots Linlithgow White Corn Measure; two of which to be heaped, and two straiked.
Any person who wishes to drive a quantity of Limeshells from this Kiln, will get a free turn at an hour to be fixed upon by Mr Wight, or William Raeburn, his overseer, so that the servants and horses need stop no longer than is necessary to load the carts.
Such persons as wish to be certain that their Limeshells come from Mr Wight's kiln, will desire their servants to apply to William Raeburn for a certificate, who will give every information respecting the quality of the shells or otherwise.

NOTICE.
FREDERICK BENJAMIN DOYNE BARTLET, Esq. residing in North Frederick Street, and WILLIAM LOURIE, edge-tool-maker in Potterrow, Edinburgh, having observed an advertisement in this paper of 23d ultimo, under the form of a NOTICE to those who hold the funds of Mr Bartlet by bond or otherwise; and importing that, upon application to the Sheriff, he had granted warrant to apprehend them both, but that they had escaped; take this opportunity of stating to the Public, that the said advertisement is a most malicious, false, and injurious publication, for which prosecutions for high damages are raised against the persons immediately concerned, and also against the ingiver of that advertisement.
Neither Mr Bartlet nor Mr Lourie were ever apprehended upon any warrant, neither is there any warrant in existence, upon which either of them are liable to be apprehended; of course there could be no idea of an escape.
The process alluded to was removed from the Sheriff by a bill of advocation, a considerable time before the injurious advertisement appeared, and none of the parties concerned in it have right in the property, or to the possesion of any bond, or other paper whatever belonging to Mr Bartlet.

To the CREDITORS *of*
Mr JAMES SPENCE, writer in Edinburgh.
A MEETING will be held in John's Coffeehouse, on Monday next, at one o'clock, at which the attendance of the creditors is particularly requested.

TOLLS IN THE COUNTY OF LINLITHGOW.
To be LET by public roup, within the Town House of Linlithgow, upon Friday the 12th day of April 1799, at twelve o'clock noon,
THE TOLL DUTIES on the Post Road of the County of Lithlithgow, collected at the Toll Bars of KIRKLISTON and MAGDALENS, for one or more years after Whitsunday 1799.
Persons intending to offer are desired to bring forward their cautioners, otherwise their offers will not be received.
The articles of roup may be seen at the Sheriff Clerk's Office

FOUND,
Drifting in the Moray Frith, on the evening of the 25th March, about three miles from Stotfield-head,

A PINK-STERNED FISHING SMACK, with a well in her, no person on board, and plundered of almost all her stores.—She is now lying in Cromarty under the direction of MR GEORGE HENDERSON, Tide Surveyor there, to whom the owners of said Vessel may apply.

AT LEITH,
For Inverness, Cromarty, and Findhorn,
THE SMACK PEGGY AND SUSAN,
PETER CHRISTIE Master,
Will sail the 12th inst. to be depended on.
For freight or passage apply to John Watson and Co. Leith, or the Master.

FOR QUEBEC,
THE FINE BRIG CONCORD,
Burden 240 tons,
RICHARD WILSON Master.
Apply to ADAM AND MATTHIE.
GREENOCK, 18th March 1799.

AT LEITH—FOR LONDON,
The Berwick Union Shipping Company's Smack,
ELIZA PACKET,
FRANCIS ORD Master,
Will take in goods till Saturday evening, and sail on Sunday afternoon, at four o'clock.
Union Shipping Company's Office, Leith, April 4. 1799.

GEORGE SQUARE ASSEMBLY ROOMS.
ON Friday the 5th of April, there is to be a BALL, under the Patronage and Direction of
The Right Hon. the COUNTESS of DALHOUSIE,
LADY GRACE DOUGLAS,
AND
LADY ELIZABETH HERON,
For the Benefit of a Family in distress.
Tickets, Three Shillings each, to be had at Mess. Gow and SHEPHERD's Music Shop, No. 41. North Bridge, and at the Rooms.
There will be no Tea, but Mrs Boyle will furnish what may be required.
The George Street Assembly Band have generously offered their services *gratis* on this occasion, and they will be conducted by Mr Gow.

THE ONLY GENUINE AND COMPLETE EDITION.
This Day is published,
And sold by James Dickson, E. Balfour, William Laing, Peter Hill, Manners & Miller, and Robert Jack, Edinburgh; —Brash & Reid, and John Murdoch, Glasgow.
Price 2s. 4d. by the Mail Coach,
REPORT of the COMMITTEE of SECRECY of the HOUSE of COMMONS, to whom the several papers referred to in his Majesty's message, of the 22d of January 1799, and which were presented (sealed up) to the House, by Mr Secretary Dundas, on the 23d day of the said month, by his Majesty's command, were referred; and who were directed to examine the matters thereof, and report the same, as they shall appear to them, to the House.
London: Printed for J. Wright, No. 169. Piccadilly;—and sold in Edinburgh, by Mundell and Son, Parliament Stairs.

As above may be had,
1. The Anti-Jacobin, or Weekly Examiner, 2 vols. 8vo. price 18s. boards.
2. Walker's Memoir on Italian Tragedy, 4to. price 1l. 1s. in boards.
3. The Officer's Manual in the Field, or a series of Military Plans, representing the Principal Operations of a Campaign, illustrated with 60 Copperplates, price 15s. boards.
4. Necessity of an Incorporate Union between Great Britain and Ireland, 8vo. price 3s. sewed.
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7. Reponse de L. N. M. Carnot au Rapport fait sur la Conjuration du 18 Fructidor, An. 5e. au Conseil du Cinq Cents, par J. Ch. Bailleul, au Nome d'une Commission Speciale, price 3s. 6d.
*** The same Book in English, 8vo. sewed, price 4s.

TO BE LET FURNISHED,
For such time as may be agreed on, and entered to immediately or at Whitsunday next,
THE MANSION-HOUSE of RAMORNIE, Garden and Offices, in the shire of Fife, three miles west from Cupar, the county town, with from 20 to 25 acres inclosed land immediately adjoining.
The house is modern and convenient, consisting of 14 fire rooms, and the offices are suitable.
The place is beautiful, and the situation dry and salubrious. As the country round is full of game, and the river running in front of the house, of trout, few places can be more eligible for a sportsman.
John Forest will shew the house and grounds; and for further particulars application may be made to William Berry, writer to the signet, North Charlotte Street, Edinburgh.

A WAULK-MILL AND OTHER SUBJECTS
In the town of Greenlaw in Berwickshire, to let.
To be LET for such a number of years as may be agreed upon, and entered to at Whitsunday first,
THE DWELLING-HOUSE, WAULK-MILL, DYE-HOUSE, and other Apartments, with the Utensils therein, for carrying on the Woollen Manufactory Business, as the same are at present possessed and occupied in that way by John Boyd.
The supply of water is ample, and the situation for carrying on a work of the kind eligible, there being a daily conveyance from the place to London and Edinburgh, and to all the intermediate towns by the Charlotte, and to Edinburgh, and Newcastle, &c. by the waggons and carriers, and there is plenty of wool of every quality to be had in the immediate neighbourhood,
Those whom this may suit, will apply to Mr Low at Woodend, by Dunse; and none need apply who do not bring satisfactory certificates of their skill and ability to carry on the work in an approved manner.

AN ESTATE,
At Less than Twenty-two Years Purchase,
To be SOLD, in whole or in lots,
LYING in a desirable situation, between 30 and 40 miles south of Edinburgh, consisting of 660 acres, free rental guaranteed at 650l.
A considerable part of the price will be allowed to lie in the purchaser's hands.
The proprietor will sell at twenty-one, or even at twenty years purchase, if he get a lease at the above rental, or a feu at that feu duty.
For particulars, apply to Mr J. Watson, W. S. No. 77, Prince's Street, Edinburgh.

SALE OF PARTS OF THE LORDSHIP OF ARBUTHNOTT.
To be SOLD by public roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, upon Monday the 27th day of May 1799, at 2 o'clock afternoon,
CERTAIN Parts of the Lordship and Estate of ARBUTHNOTT, in the Lots following, viz.
I. The Town and Lands of EASTER MATHERS, with the pertinents, lying in the parish of Ecclesgreig and shire of Kincardine. These lands consist of about 402 Scotch acres, almost all arable, and are very pleasantly situate on the coast between Bervie and Montrose, lying about five miles from the former, and eight miles from the latter; the great post road between Bervie and Montrose, forming part of the boundary. The soil of these lands is in general of an excellent quality, and particularly well adapted to the growth of wheat and beans. There is abundance of sea ware to be had on the coast, and there is an extensive lime quarry upon the lands, with every suitable accommodation for working it.
II. The Lands of NEWBIGGING, the Lands of Over Kinmouth Easter and Wester, the Lands of Bogburn, and the Lands of Nether Kinmouth, with the pertinents, including the privilege of digging and carrying peats from the mosses of Drumleys; which lands are erected into a Barony, called "the Barony of Kinmouth," lying in the parish of Glenbervie and shire of Kincardine. Also the Portions of Land of the Out Town of Drumlithie, called Broombank, France, Blacksnob and Camdie, and the Lands of In Town of Drumlithie, lying in the parish of Arbuthnott and shire of Kincardine.
These lands consist of about 1300 Scotch acres, whereof about two thirds are arable. They are very well situate for markets, being in the immediate vicinity of the new turnpike road from Laurencekirk to Stonehaven, and there are some fine situations for building on them.
III. The Lands of MEIKLE FIDDES, with the Mill and Mill Lands of the same, and the Lands of Colliestown, lying in the parish of Arbuthnott and shire of Kincardine. These lands consist of about 402 Scotch acres, whereof about three fourth are arable. They are also very well situate for markets, the great turnpike road from Laurencekirk to Stonehaven running through them in a most convenient direction. All the above lands hold of the Crown.
For further particulars application may be made to Charles Selkrig, accomptant, Edinburgh, who has powers to sell by private bargain, or to George Tod, writer in Edinburgh, in whose hands are lodged plans of the lands and the progress of writs.
Alexander Reid, ground officer at Arbuthnott-house will shew the lands of Mathers, contained in lot 1st, and Alexander Reid, junior, ground officer at Newbigging, will shew the grounds about Drumlithie, &c. contained in lots 2d and 3d.

ARMY.
TO BE SOLD,
AN ENSIGNCY and LIEUTENANCY in an Old Regiment now in England——Also,
An ENSIGNCY in an Old Regiment in Scotland, lately returned from foreign service.
Enquire at Mr ALLAN, Bass Fire Office.

WOOLLEN DRAPERY.
ROBERT MURDOCH in the most respectful manner, informs the Public, He has received part of a most complete and fashionable assortment of Woollen Drapery and Manchester Goods, purchased by him on the spot.
Dealers will be supplied (money down) on equal terms with any man in the trade.
Edinburgh, April 4. 1799.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.
Intimation is hereby made to the Public,
THAT the Concern carried on in the town of Montrose, under the Firm of GREIG, LYALL, and CO. is now, with consent of all the Parties, Dissolved.
Those who are indebted to that Concern are requested to make payment of their accounts to Mr William Lyall who has authority to discharge the same; and all to whom the Concern is indebted are desired to give in their claims without delay.
MONTROSE, April 2. 1799.

THE GENUINE DISTINGUISHED FROM COUNTERFEITS
By the King's Patent.
MR R. JOHNSTON, Apothecary, No. 15. Greek Street, Soho, aware of the depredations made on every Public Medicine of established repute and extensive sale, respectfully informs the Nobility, Gentry, and Public, he has obtained the King's Patent for his Invention, not to *recommend* but to *distinguish* WHITEHEAD's ESSENCE of MUSTARD from spurious imitations.
Five years have now elapsed since Mr Johnston first made known to the world this very extraordinary Medicine. During this short period its efficacy has been so clearly demonstrated that its sale has infinitely exceeded any former example. Comparatively, there are few families which have not either heard of or experienced its beneficial effects; and with heartfelt satisfaction he has the happiness to declare WHITEHEAD's ESSENCE of MUSTARD has cured more persons afflicted with *Rheumatism, Gout, Lumbago, Palsy, Complaints of the Stomach,* and other *Painful Maladies,* than all the medicines ever before made public. It has obtained the approbation of many eminent men of the Faculty, and honoured with the unsolicited support and recommendation of the first families in the kingdom.
As the bottles, boxes, labels, and bills of directions of this original medicine are closely copied, and the words "By Royal Authority," artfully substituted for the words "By the King's Patent," it may elude common observation: Mr Johnston therefore recommends the afflicted to be particular in the purchase.
Whitehead's Essence of Mustard, is prepared and sold, in Pills and in a fluid state, at 2s. 9d. each box or bottle, by the Inventor, R. Johnston, apothecary and chemist, No. 15. Greek Street, Soho, London. It is distinguished from counterfeits "By the King's Patent," and the signature "R. Johnston," in his own hand-writing, on each label; sold also by his appointment, by ANDREW SMITH, No. 38. North Bridge, Husband, Elder, and Co. R. Scott, apothecary, Wm. Raeburn, and T. Spence, Edinburgh; Phorson, Berwick; Allan, Dundee; Inglis and Dixson, Dumfries; M'Intosh & Co. Inverness; Craigie, Montrose; Cave, Banff; Mitchell, Aberdeen; Mennons and M'Donald, Glasgow. *CHILBLAINS.*
N. B. The Fluid Essence immediately allays their tormenting itching, and will assuredly prevent them from breaking, even when turned quite black; and if used according to the directions, will absolutely cure them by three or four applications.

LINLITHGOWSHIRE.
To be SOLD, and entered to at Whitsunday first,
THE MANSION-HOUSE of BRIDGE CASTLE, with the adjacent Inclosures, containing about ten acres, situated twenty miles from Edinburgh, four from Linlithgow, and two from Bathgate, on the new Glasgow road leading to Linlithgow.
The house is commodious, and has lately undergone a thorough repair, and been completely fitted up; there are suitable offices, a pigeon-house, and good garden, well stocked with fruit trees.
This as a country residence has many advantages, being near coal, lime, markets, stage coaches, fox hounds, and in the centre of a sporting country. The house is surrounded with fine old trees, and a good trouting water passes close by the garden wall.
Application may be made to the proprietor at Bridge Castle, or Thomas Gordon, W. S.

FARM IN KINCARDINESHIRE TO LET.
To be LET for such a number of years as may be agreed upon, and entered to at Whitsunday and Martinmas next,
THE LANDS OF WOODSTON MAINS, LITTLE WOODSTON, WESTER HILLEND, and BARNS of AIR, with part of the MILL LANDS a joining, amounting in whole to 341 English acres or thereby.
These lands are situated in the parish of St Cyrus, within half a mile of the sea-coast, on the west side of the post road leading from Montrose to Bervie, and about 5 miles distant from the first, and 7 miles distant from the last of these towns, both of them affording good markets for grain and all the other produce of a farm.
Great part of these lands are inclosed with thriving hedges. The soil is good, and a considerable part fit for the turnip husbandry; the remainder is calculated for the heavier crops of wheat, beans, barley, &c. and pasture grass. There is plenty of lime in the near neighbourhood, and on the whole the lands are highly improveable, and all reasonable encouragement will be given to an improving tenant.
Offers for the lease may be given in writing to Mr Sandilands, W. S. Edinburgh; Mr Orr of Brigton, by Montrose; or Mr Bruce at Blair Adam, by North Queensferry.

LANDS IN LANARKSHIRE.
To be SOLD by Private Bargain,
THE LANDS of HIGH ALLERSTOCKS or HAIRSTOCKS, lying in the parish of Killbride, consisting of about 900 or 1000 acres. They are situated about twelve miles from Glasgow, five from Strathaven, and four from Eaglesham.
These lands may be greatly improved at a small expence, in consequence of lime and coal-works being lately opened in their near neighbourhood, and from new roads having been made from these works to the town of Strathaven. Another line of road is begun to be made from Newmilns to Eaglesham and Glasgow, which will increase their value.
Apply to William Lindsay, writer in Glasgow, and James Keir, the herd on the lands, will shew the property.

BUILDING YARD, &c. AT GREENOCK.
To be SOLD, by authority of the Lords of Council and Session, within the Parliament, or New Session-House of Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 22d of May, betwixt the hours of four and six afternoon,
THE BUILDING YARD and DWELLING HOUSES possessed by William M'Kechn, James Erskine, and Moses M'Lellan, sometime belonging to Simon Halliday, and lying betwixt the towns of Greenock and Crawfurd's Dyke.

The proven yearly gross value is	L.63 10 0
From which deducting of feu duty	4 1 0
There remains free rent of	59 9 0

Which, being valued at 17 years purchase, the total upset price is L.1010 9 0
From the local situation of this property, it is particularly deserving of the attention of ship-builders.
The Titles and Conditions of Sale may be had on applying to Mr Alexander Ross, Depute Clerk of Session, or Mr Horne, writer to the signet, 3. George Street; and copies of the rental and conditions of sale may be also had of Mess. Hugh Crawfurd and Son, writers in Greenock.

EXCHANGES, LONDON ON

Hamburgh	37. 4 2½ U		*Bank money*		—
Lisbon	67½		*Dublin*		10¼
Oporto	69½				

LONDON GAZETTE.

ADMIRALTY-OFFICE—March 30.

Copy of a Letter from the Right Hon. Lord BRIDPORT, K. B. Admiral of the White, &c. to EVAN NEPEAN, Esq. dated the 25th instant.

SIR,

ENCLOSED is a copy of a letter from Captain Countess, of his Majesty's ship Ethalion, which is transmitted to you for their Lordships' information.

I have the honour to be, &c.

BRIDPORT.

Ethalion, at Sea, March 6, 1799.

MY LORD,

I HAVE the pleasure to inform your Lordship, that this day his Majesty's ship under my command captured the Indefatigable privateer ship of Nantz, of 18 guns and 120 men, after a chace of ten hours; she is quite new, coppered, victualled for 4 months, and had been out but one day. I purpose seeing her safe in, and taking that opportunity of getting rid of the prisoners. Yesterday evening we fell in with the Naiad, when she captured another privateer of Nantz, of 18 guns, which is the only success we have had since the Arrow parted company; but we have had very severe weather.

I have the honour to be, &c.

GEORGE COUNTESS.

Right Hon. Lord BRIDPORT, &c.

Extract of a Letter from Admiral Sir HYDE PARKER, Knt. Commander in Chief of his Majesty's ships and vessels at Jamaica, to EVAN NEPEAN, Esq. dated the 10th February, 1799.

I INCLOSE a list of the armed vessels taken or destroyed, with the number of merchant vessels taken or destroyed, by his Majesty's ships and vessels under my command since the last report; and I have the pleasure to state, for their Lordships' information, that from the activity of the cruizers, few privateers are at sea.

[The several vessels are mentioned, and he states the following total:]

Total.—Thirteen privateers and armed vessels, carrying 72 guns, with 518 men.

MERCHANT VESSELS.

TAKEN—By the Queen and Lark 4, Brunswick 1, Thunderer 1, York 2, Acasta 3, Trent 4, Trent and Hannibal 4, Trent and Acasta 4, Regulus 10, Regulus and Swallow 2, Renommee and Squirril 7, Magicienne 7, La Prompte 1, Jamaica 6, Jamaica and Lark 2, Serpent 2, La Legere 2, Lark 7, Diligence 13, Rattler 1, Pelican and Brunswick 1, Drake and Serpent 2, Amaranthe 2, Stork 1.—Total 89.

DESTROYED.—By the Acasta 3, Trent and Acasta 7, Regulus 4, Regulus and Swallow 1, Magicienne 1, Jamaica 2, Jamaica and Lark 1, La Legere 1, Lark 1. Total 21.

HYDE PARKER.

Copy of a Letter from Vice-Admiral HARVEY, Commander in Chief of his Majesty's ships and vessels at the Leeward Islands, to EVAN NEPEAN, Esq. dated at Martinique, the 6th February 1799.

SIR,

I HAVE to acquaint you, for the information of their Lordships, that Captain Westbeech, in his Majesty's sloop Favourite, on the 8th December last, captured a Genoese ship from Rio de Plate bound to the Havannah, laden with jerked beef, tallow, and hides, and carried her into Tobago; and that on the 20th ultimo, Captain Warren, of the Scourge, captured a Spanish brig from Cadiz bound to La Guira, laden with wine, brandy, and merchandize, which he carried into Trinidad.

I have the honour to be, &c.

HENRY HARVEY.

Extract of a Letter from the Earl of ST VINCENT, K. B. Commander in Chief of his Majesty's ships and vessels in the Mediterranean, to EVAN NEPEAN, Esq. dated at Gibraltar, the 26th of February 1799.

I INCLOSE letters from Captain Bowen, of his Majesty's ship Argo, and Captain Sanders, of his Majesty's sloop L'Espoir, giving an account of the capture of the Santa Teresa Spanish frigate, and Africa xebeque; also, a letter from Captain Markham, of his Majesty's ship Centaur, relating the events of his cruize on the coast of Catalonia.

SIR, Argo, off Port Mahon, Feb. 8. 1799.

I HAVE great pleasure in acquainting you, that in carrying your orders into execution, in company with the Leviathan, on the 6th instant, at four P. M. drawing round the east end of Majorca under stormy stay sails, with a violent gale westerly, I discovered two large Spanish frigates at anchor, near a fortified tower on the south point of the Bahia de Alcude, who, immediately on seeing us, cut their cables, and made sail to the N. N. E. We instantly gave chace, with all the canvas the ships could bear; unfortunately the Leviathan's main-top sail gave way, which caused her to drop astern; the enemy seeing this took the advantage of it, and after the close of day spoke each other and separated; one hauling her wind to the northward, and the other set top-gallant sails and kept away before it; which latter I followed. The darkness of the night precluded the Leviathan from seeing their manœuvre, as also my signal to her to alter her course to port; however the Leviathan kept sight of the Argo, and was near up with us at midnight, when I got alongside of the enemy, who still persevered in his endeavours to get off, (although his small sails were either shot or carried away in the chace,) and did not surrender until he had received our whole broadside, which wounded two men, and did much mischief to his rigging. She proved to be the Santa Teresa, commanded by Don Pablo Perez, mounting in all forty-two guns, besides swivels and cohorns, and manned with two hundred and eighty seamen and marines, besides two hundred and fifty soldiers; in all five hundred and thirty persons on board. My first Lieutenant, Mr Thomas Lyne, has much merit in keeping sight and observing the different shifts of the enemy, by which great advantage was gained by the Argo, during the chace. Much commendation is due to his professional skill and great exertions, after taking possession of the prize, in saving her tottering mast from tumbling over board, which he could not have done, had not Captain Buchanan sent him speedy assistance of officers and men from the Leviathan, to whom I feel myself much indebted.

Great praise is due to all my officers and seamen, for their vigilance and exertions in shortening and making sail in squalls during the chace; and, had the enemy given them an opportunity of shewing further proofs of their zeal and loyalty, I am convinced they would have behaved as British seamen always do upon these occasions. I have the honour to be, &c.

JAMES BOWEN.

P. S. The Santa Teresa is just out of dock, rebuilt, new coppered, and is in every respect almost as good as a new ship. She was completely stored and victualled for four months, and is esteemed one of the fastest sailing frigates out of Spain, of large dimensions, upwards of 950 tons, and fit for immediate service. Her consort, the Proserpine, that made her escape, is of the same force, but not so large.

Extract of a Letter from Captain CUTHBERT, of his Majesty's ship Majestic, to the Earl of ST VINCENT, dated at Sea, the 23d February 1799.

I have the honour of inclosing a letter to your Lordship, received from Captain Sanders, Commander of his Majesty's brig L'Espoir, giving an account of his having engaged and captured the Africa, a Spanish xebec, mounting 14, long four-pounders, and 4 brass four-pound swivels, in the service of the King of Spain, and commanded by Josepho Subjado.

Having been an eye-witness to the action, it is not in the power of my pen sufficiently to extol the meritorious conduct of Captain Sanders and his ship's company on the occasion.

SIR, L'Espoir at Sea, Feb. 22. 1799.

At a quarter past noon, town of Marbello bearing N. N. W. three leagues, a brig and two xebecs in the S. E. quarter, appearing suspicious, I hoisted my colours to them, when the brig and one of the xebecs hoisted Spanish, upon which a Mooriſh brig in tow was cast off, and L'Espoir hauled to the wind in chace; it was soon perceived they were armed vessels, but not being so fortunate as to weather them, we exchanged broadsides with both in passing. L'Espoir being tacked, soon brought the xebec to close action, which continued for an hour and a half, when a favourable opportunity of boarding her was embraced, and, after a sharp contest of about twenty minutes, she surrendered, and proved to be the Africa, commanded by Joseph Subjado, in the service of the King of Spain, mounting fourteen long four pounders, and four brass four pound swivels, having on board seventy-five seamen and thirty-eight soldiers from Algosamus, bound to Malaga. Lieutenant Richardson (in whom I have much confidence), all the officers and seamen of his Majesty's sloop I have the honour to command, behaved with the same courage they have done on former occasions. During the action the brig (which I have since learned mounted eighteen guns) stood in shore and anchored.

I inclose a list of the killed and wounded, and am, with respect, Sir, &c.

JAMES SANDERS.

List of the killed and wounded—L'Espoir, 12 seamen killed; 2 ditto wounded.

Africa, 1 officer, 8 seamen killed; 1 captain, 2 officers, and 25 seamen wounded.

Captain Cuthbert, Majestic.

SIR, Centaur, at sea, Feb. 16, 1799.

I HAVE the honour to inform you, that in obedience to your orders, I proceeded to Sallo Bay, in his Majesty's ship under my command, after the Spanish frigates, and having been joined by the Cormorant alone, of the squadron under Captain Bowen, I at length, after beating against heavy gales of wind from the 28th January till the 9th February, reached Sallo Bay, in which I found twenty-one Swedish and Danish merchantmen, but no men of war had been in sight of Sallo since the 2d of February. Having looked into Fangel Bay and Tarragono, also where Lord M'Kerr, in the Cormorant, took a Tartan, and drove another on shore, I proceeded towards Majorca, and at day light took a settee laden with oil, and I chased two large xebecs and a settee, all privateers in the Royal Spanish service; one of which, La Vierga de Rosario, I captured at two o'clock, mounting fourteen brass twelve-pounders, and ninety men, the other two escaped, by the wind shifting at dark, when within shot. The same nigh the Aurora joined and proceeded for Tarragona, in consequence of intelligence I received of two Spanish frigates being bound there with Swiss troops from Balma. On the 15th I fell in with the Argo and Leviathan, and the next morning stood in for Sallo Bay.—Finding the frigates were not in the neighbourhood, I attacked the town of Tambrelles, and the Spaniards having quitted their guns on a tower, sent boats in under Lieutenant Grosset of the Centaur, who, after dismounting the guns, burned and captured as per margin*; La Velon Maria was taken in the offing, from Aguilas bound to Barcelona. The Proserpine frigate, consort to the Santa Teresa, taken by the Argo, after having escaped to Palamour, has since, I am informed by Captain Bowen, hauled close into the bar of Barcelona. I have, &c. &c. &c.

JOHN MARKHAM,

* Five Settees—burnt.
Tartar, name unknown, laden with wine—taken.
Settee, name unknown, laden with hoops and staves—taken.
Settee, name unknown, laden with wine—taken.
Settee, name unknown, laden with unknown.
La Velon Maria Tartan, armed as a letter of marque, with one brass and two iron twelve-pounders, and two three ditto, 14 men, laden with wheat—taken.

CORFU—March 3.

This day the French garrison surrendered by capitulation to the united forces of the Russians and Turks.—The Leander, and the Brune frigate, were taken in the port.

London

MARCH 30.

Part of the Channel fleet are arrived at Torbay.

The fleet at Yarmouth, under Admiral Dickson, are under sailing orders.

Vice Admiral Lutwidge is appointed Port Admiral at the Downs, in the room of Admiral Peyton. Admiral Mitchell is to be Port Admiral at the Nore, in the room of Vice Admiral Lutwidge, and Admiral Sir Thomas Pasley, Bart. Port Admiral at Plymouth, in the room of Sir Richard King, who retires.

Captain Durham and Lady Charlotte Bruce, after their marriage on Thursday slept, as we mentioned, at Mrs Strange's, Wimbledon. The Bride and Bridegroom were accompanied thither by the following distinguished personages—

The Marquis of Huntley, the Earls of Elgin and Aylesbury, Lord Bruce, General Sir James Steuart, Mr Strange, Mr Durham of Largo, the father of Captain Durham, &c. who were present at the ceremony; besides the Countesses of Elgin and Aylesbury, Lady Bruce, Lady Steuart, Mrs Strange, &c.

Lady Charlotte Bruce's wedding suit was a present from her Majesty.

The death of Major L. ought to be an example to all young men.—Heir to a Baronetcy, and to an estate of 6000l. a year, blest with the affections of a beautiful woman, to whom he was about to be married, but devoted to the gaming table, he had involved himself considerably in debt. His father, Sir William, paid all his engagements on a promise of honour that he would play no more; and it is said that Miss K——, to whom he was attached, further strengthened what is called in play the *tying him up*, by declaring that their union depended on his weaning himself from the vice. In an evil hour he returned to the gaming table—lost a large sum—and the next morning, stung by reflection on the forfeiture of his promise, shot himself through the head.

Letters from Paris state, that the Courts of Wirtemberg, Baden, and Hesse Darmstadt, are once more entering into a negociation for a separate peace.

A new and excellent coinage is about to take place, of two guinea pieces, guineas, and half guineas. Also, in silver, crown pieces, half crowns, shillings, and sixpences. Extraordinary attention is to be paid, for counteracting as much as possible the effects of wear—and the file! A fine figure of the British lion, or of the British crown, will be on the reverse of some. Britannia, and the arms of the country on the rest—but all on new models, and from new designs, by the members of the Royal Academy.

The Cossacs who constantly attend the Russian armies, and who are the more attached to Suwarrow, as from experience they have the strongest confidence in his success, are amongst the fiercest people on the globe. They consist of hardy tribes of Tartars, whose custom is to rush in upon a broken enemy, and who have no conception of any thing like quarter. They are extremely well mounted on strong and swift horses, bearing lances couched as in the days of ancient chivalry, and drive with such impetuosity as with ease to lift a hussar from his horse.

As a proof that there are a few *pickings* still making in the East, it need only to be stated, that General Martin, in the British service, lately advanced to a neighbouring Nabob a loan of 1,300,000 Sterling!

We are not sorry to hear of so many informations against brewers for using nostrums in their manufactories. Never, surely, was there such a necessity for the intervention of the Legislature and the Excise.—*Star.*

American papers to the 24th of February were yesterday received in town.

The resolutions of the states of Kentucky and Virginia, in which a right of interference in the legislative capacity of Congress was indirectly asserted, have been debated in the House of Assembly of New York, which came to the following decision, after a division of 50 to 43:

"Whereas it appears to this house, that the right of deciding on the constitutionality of all laws passed by the Congress of the United States, appertaining to judiciary department: And whereas the assumption of that right is unwarrantable, and has a direct tendency to destroy the independence of the General Government: And whereas this house disclaims the power which is assumed in and by the resolutions of the respective legislatures of the States of Kentucky and Virginia of the 16th of November and 24th of December last, of questioning in a legislative capacity, either the expediency or constitutionality of the several acts therein referred to; therefore,

"Resolved, That the Committee of the whole House be discharged from any farther consideration of the message of his Excellency the Governor of the 12th day of January last, and the said resolutions which accompanied the same."

The propositions of the Legislature of Maryland, for amending the Constitution of the United States with regard to the mode of electing the Members of the Federal Government, in order, as it is stated, to guard against the introduction of foreign influence, have been agreed to by the Senate of New York.

LONDON—APRIL 1.

Saturday his Majesty, accompanied by Princes Edward and Ernest, Lord Cathcart and General Manners, rode to King's Beach Hill, where being met by the Earl of Sandwich, and the rest of the sportsmen, the deer was turned out, and pursuing his course by Sunning-hill, took to the right of the Great Park, by the Lodge, and went into a large sheet of water, the King and Princes waiting till he was got out, but owing to the extreme cold the animal was so much chilled that the hounds could not force him to run any further; the sportsmen were therefore obliged to give up the chace, after only an hour and a half's run, in which Lady Lade kept up the whole time.

On Friday evening the Prince of Wales arrived at Bath, and on Saturday morning the Mayor and Corporation sent a deputation to his Royal Highness, to know whether it would be agreeable that they should wait upon him in a body, to congratulate him upon his arrival in that city. His Royal Highness begged to dispense with this mark of their attention, and returned them his warmest acknowledgements.

On the arrival of the Prince, the corps of Volunteers were drawn up to receive him, and their Commander, Colonel Glover, waited on his Royal Highness, to entreat that they might have the honour of doing duty about his person, and mounting guard at his door. His Royal Highness expressed great satisfaction on the occasion; but having come to Bath for the sole purpose of using the waters, he wished to wave all ceremony, and to be considered only as a private gentleman during his present stay.

We understand that some very strong measures will be proposed to Parliament by Mr Dundas, when the Report of the Secret Committee comes under consideration, which will be some day during the present week.

Saturday Captain Newhouse, late of the Perterell sloop, arrived at the Admiralty, with dispatches from Earl St Vincent at Gibraltar, containing, in addition to the letters from his Lordship in the Gazette, the burning of two Neapolitan ships of the line off Naples by the Portuguese squadron, to prevent their falling into the hands of the French.

By the Maria Charlotte, arrived in the Downs, we on Thursday received letters from India; those from Calcutta were dated on the 15th November, at which time active preparations were making for a great expedition, in which several thousand men were to be engaged.

The vessels which had recently arrived there from Europe had found an advantageous sale for their several investments. The Thetis and Berington in particular, had, on the average of their entire adventures, cleared 100 guineas *per cent.*

Commodore Hood has taken the Courier French corvette, of 16 guns, from Alexandria to Toulon.

The Berlin papers of the 19th instant contain an official notice, signed by the Cabinet Ministers Finkenstein, Heinitz, Goldbeck, Alvensleben, Haugwitz, and Massou, of the utmost importance as to its effects, as it goes to put a stop to all the alienation of property, and the sale of the Royal and other domains in the Prussian provinces of Cleves, Gueldres, and Meurs, ceded to France, declaring all such as illegal, null and void, till the actual conclusion of a peace with the Empire.

We have also seen a letter from Rastadt, which besides mentioning a coolness between the French and Prussian Ministers, states that the former are expected to call upon the latter for a clear and explicit declaration upon the present state of affairs.

This declaration, we trust, has been since given, and that in a manner not so much to the satisfaction of the republicans as they might have expected.

LONDON, NOV. 12, 1798, (o. s.)

NIOU, Commissary of the French Government in England, for every thing which relates to the exchange and maintenance of the prisoners of war, to Mess. the Commissioners of the Board of Transports.

"GENTLEMEN,

"I am arrived this morning, after a long and troublesome journey which I have just made to the different depots of the French prisoners of war in England.

"I have the honour to return you the passport which was forwarded to me at Edinburgh, to enable me to proceed to Norman Cross, and from thence to London. Be pleased to accept my thanks for the punctuality with which you transmitted me this paper.

"A slight indisposition prevents my coming abroad this morning; I cannot, therefore, wait on you at this instant, but I beg of you to allow me to call on you to-morrow morning, at any hour which may suit you, as I want to have some conversation on a variety of objects of the first importance.

"It is not possible to be better pleased than I have been through the whole of this journey, with the sentiments of humanity and justice which regulate every part of the conduct of the agents, who direct, under your orders, the administration of the prisons in which the French are kept. It is a satisfaction most dear to my heart, to have an homage of this kind to pay to truth. I have the honour to be, &c.

"NIOU."

The price of raw sugars experienced a further reduction during the last week, viz. the Antigua, Barbadoes, Dominica, Tobago, St Vincent, Demerara, Nevis, and Tortola, about 2s. per cwt.; fine Jamaica, Martinique, and St Domingo, 3s.; St Kitt's and Montserrat, 4s.; and Terres, 6s. The uncommon abundance of the late crop will doubtless occasion a still greater fall. The market for refined articles very heavy, and the prices steady.

The Company's tea sale closed at the India House on Thursday. Common congou and singlo have each advanced about a penny per pound, and hyson bloom nearly 4d. per pound, viz. to 3s. 8d. and 4s. 7d.; the hyson teas severally cheaper; refused and common articles one penny per pound, and the better sorts 6d.—Coffee continues to decline in price.

LONDON PRICES, March 25.

HOPS.

BAGS.			POCKETS.	
Kent	9l 15s to 10l 4s		Kent	10l 10s to 11l 4s
Suffex	9l 10s to 9l 15s		Suffex	10 0s to 10 5s
Essex	9l 0s to 9l 10s		Farnham	12l 0s to 15l 0s

CORN EXCHANGE, April 1.

	s.	d.		£.	s.	d.
English Wheat,	44	52	0	Malt,	38	43	0
Essex,	54	57	0	Fine,	—	44	0
Barley,	28	34	0	Oats,	23	26	0
Fine New,	—	35	0	Meating,	25	29	0
Fine Flour	43	45	0	Fine,	—	—	—

—STOCKS—

BANK STOCK		INDIA STOCK	
3 *per cent. con.*	53¾ ½	*Long Ann.*	—
4 *per cent. con.*	—	*Short ditto,*	—
5 *per cent. ann.*	81¼ ¾	*Omnium*	—

This day, (April 1.) at twelve o'clock—3 *per cent. red.* —3 *per cent. con.* 53¾ ½

Caledonian Mercury.

EDINBURGH—APRIL 4.

DEFEAT OF THE FRENCH,

BY THE

ARCHDUKE CHARLES.

On Saturday morning a messenger arrived from Mr GRENVILLE at Berlin, bringing dispatches to Government, dated the 23d inst. and containing the following memorandum, which had been communicated to Mr GRENVILLE by COUNT HAUGWITZ, the Prussian Minister:—

TRANSLATION.

RASTADT MARCH 17.

ARRIVED AT BERLIN, MARCH 23.

"Great part of the army is marching in haste towards Switzerland. The magazines are removing from Offenburg to Fribourg. A number of wounded are arrived at Kehl, and there is a great alarm at Strasburg. JOURDAN is stated to have arrived at Basle, and MASSENA to have been beat. The peasants massacre the French in the Valteline and Grisons. It is believed that the ARCHDUKE has broken through the centre of JOURDAN's army, near Stockach, so that the latter is retreating towards Switzerland, to join MASSENA, if possible. ST CYR, who commanded the left wing, has retired towards Heidelberg, in order to reach Neckerthal."

The above important intelligence, we hope, will be fully confirmed in a few days, when we will be furnished with the particulars. In the mean time, that our readers may have all the information that has reached us upon a subject so interesting, we subjoin the various details which have been given in the different London papers of Saturday, and those received this morning.

FROM THE SUN.

This morning, a dispatch was received from Mr GRENVILLE at Berlin, containing an account of the defeat of the French army under General JOURDAN by the Archduke CHARLES.

The account is contained in a letter from Rastadt, dated the 17th inst. which states, that a general action had taken place between the Archduke CHARLES and JOURDAN, in which the latter appears to have been completely defeated, and to have retreated with a part of his army to Basle, for the purpose of forming a junction, if possible, with General MASSENA, who is also said to have been defeated. The action is said to have taken place near Stockach.

The left wing, under the command of General St CYR, having been cut off from the center by a corps under General NAUENDORFF, had been compelled to retreat precipitately towards Kehl. The peasantry of the Valteline and Grison country had risen upon the French, and were massacring them in their retreat.

FROM THE STAR.

This morning Government received dispatches of considerable importance, brought to Yarmouth by the Express, Captain DELL, an extra packet, from Cuxhaven. The contents have not fully transpired; they relate however to an engagement between the Austrian and French armies on the Rhine, in which the latter are stated to have been defeated with great slaughter, and seven thousand prisoners taken by the Austrians. We cannot vouch for the correctness of the particulars, but would not be surprised if the report brought in private letters by the last mail should thus receive full confirma-

tion; as we have known many inſtances of private accounts of important events being received before the official diſpatches arrived.

The Archduke CHARLES commanded the Auſtrian army; the French were commanded by General JOURDAN. Some of the Ruſſian forces had joined the former. The left wing of the French army, commanded by General ST CYR, ſuffered moſt in the action.

The particulars were ſent off by meſſengers to his Majeſty at Windſor, and to the different Cabinet Miniſters.

It is reported, that Mr T. GRENVILLE has ſucceeded in his miſſion to the Court of Berlin. This news, however, muſt receive further confirmation.

STAR-OFFICE, 4 O'CLOCK.

We ſtop the preſs to give a few farther particulars:

The French forces which compoſed the left wing of the army, commanded by General ST CYR, after the defeat they ſuſtained in the action with the Auſtrian troops, were ſtopped in their retreat by the Auſtrian General NAUENDORFF, and ſuſtained a complete defeat, hardly any of them eſcaping. The action took place about the middle of this month, we believe on or about the 16th.

JOURDAN with the other part of his army, made a haſty retreat towards Baſle. It is ſaid alſo that MASSENA was attacked at or about the ſame time, and alſo defeated.

FROM THE COURIER.

The following bulletin was circulated this forenoon in the Miniſterial circles:

An expreſs arrived at ſeven this morning from Mr GRENVILLE, bringing accounts of the defeat of MASSENA and JOURDAN. The Archduke broke through the French line at Stockach; and ST CYR, who commands the left wing, is retreating to Heidelberg: the French flying in different directions, and the peaſantry riſing againſt them. JOURDAN and MASSENA retreating towards Santry and the Rhine. Diſpatches from the Pruſſian Miniſter (dated at Raſtadt 17th) to Berlin, bring this account.

And one of the morning papers ſays, "The following note, among others, was ſent by Mr Hammond, under Secretary of State for the Northern Department, to the Miniſters of the Northern Powers reſident in London:

TRANSLATION.

"MY DEAR SIR,

"I have juſt time to inform you that we have received a diſpatch from Mr Grenville, containing an extract from letters received from the Pruſſian legation at Raſtadt to the Count of Hawgwitz, dated the 17th inſt. which brings intelligence that Maſſena and Jourdan have been entirely defeated, that Jourdan was retreating to Baſle, and St Cyr to Heidelberg; that the peaſants in the Griſons and Valteline were deſtroying the French, and that Jourdan was making every effort to join Maſſena.

"Corfu ſurrendered to the combined fleet the 3d of March, with the Leander and Brune frigate. I congratulate you.

The Count of W. "G. HAMMOND."

The following alſo has been circulated as a letter from Raſtadt, dated the 18th inſt. to a perſon of ſome conſequence in this country:

"Jourdan's army is in full retreat, having been vigorouſly attacked by the Archduke Charles in the centre.

"General St Cyr was cut off by General Nauendorff, in his retreat upon the Nichs.

"It is at preſent certain that Jourdan has retreated towards Baſle, and General St Cyr is at Feldſtat, and fortifying himſelf there.

"The garriſon of Kehl has been haſtily *(precipitamment)* reinforced, even by the troops of the new conſcription.

"The Legation has received no poſitive accounts; but the manœuvre was a noble one; and gives great confidence and ſpirits to the Auſtrians."

It farther appears, that the centre and right wing of the French army has been wholly routed. The left wing, on the northern bank of the Danube, was not engaged, but had, in conſequence of the defeat of the other diviſions of the army, been compelled to make a haſty retreat, cloſely preſſed by an Imperial column under the orders of General NAUENDORFF. Some reports ſtate, that General ST CYR, being unable to reach Kneibis, had proceeded to Frecedanſtadt, which he was endeavouring by new works to render tenable; others that he had been brought to an action and defeated. The whole line from Sigmaningen by Moſkirch, Pfullendorff, Nellenburg, Stockach, and towards Schaffhauſen, was engaged; the principal action was, however between Stockade and Aach.

In theſe battles 7000 French are ſtated to have been made priſoners. The particulars of MASSENA's defeat are not given. Capt. DELL of the Expreſs packet, by which the meſſenger was brought, reports, that at Cuxhaven the news of the defeat of the French had been received.

Beſides the official note which Miniſters received from Mr GRENVILLE relative to the victory of the Archduke, the Duke of YORK, Lord MALMESBURY, and ſeveral merchants received letters containing ſimilar accounts.

One Hamburgh mail is now due.

It has frequently been remarked, in former campaigns that the French always made the attack upon their opponents, and that by doing ſo, they acquired a great advantage, having their choice of the time, the place, and the manner of attack. By the accounts, however, that have reached us concerning the victory now obtained by the ARCHDUKE, it appears the Auſtrians made the attack, and we find ſucceſs has crowned their exertions.

It is obſervable that the Auſtrians when alone have been more ſucceſsful againſt the French than were the whole united forces of the allied armies. In the latter caſe the private views of parties led to miſunderſtandings, which frequently produced delay and diſtraction; while, in the former caſe, one united effort, under one leader, and to attain one end, has been doubly powerful.

The London Gazette announces, that the Iſland of Corfu ſurrendered to the Ruſſians and Turks on the 3d March, The Leander, and the Brune frigate, were taken in the port.

The Leander is a 50 gun veſſel, and was under the command of Captain THOMSON, at the memorable battle of the Nile, when ſhe bore a very conſpicuous ſhare in the action, having anchored acroſs in the centre of the French line.—She was ſent home, having Capt. BERRY on board with Admiral NELSON's diſpatches; but meeting with the French ſhip Genereux, of 80 guns, in the Mediterranean, ſhe was taken, after a very gallant action, though in a very diſabled ſtate.

MARRIED.

On Saturday, at London, the Honourable WORSELEY STUART to Lady CHARLOTTE CREIGHTON. The ceremony was performed by the Biſhop of Exeter.

BIRTHS.

At Ritzbuttel, in Germany, the LADY of William Douglas, Eſq. of a daughter. At Middelburg, in Zealand, the LADY of Alexander Ferrier, Eſq. of a ſon.

DEATHS.

At her houſe in George Street, on Thurſday 28th ult. Mrs MARGARET ALLAN, the wife of Robert Allan, banker, Edinburgh.

At the Manſe of Tinwald, on Tueſday ſe'ennight, after a long and lingering illneſs, which he bore with chriſtian patience and fortitude, the Rev. Mr JAMES LAURIE, Miniſter of that pariſh, in the 47th year of his age and 10th year of his miniſtry.

Tueſday morning, at Lainſhaw, WILLIAM CUNNINGHAM, Eſq. of Lainſhaw, in the 67th year of his age.

On the 12th ult. CHARLES TAIT, Eſq. Sheriff-ſubſtitute of Aberdeenſhire.

At Burdwan, in Bengal, on 12th October laſt, JAMES SPOTTISWOODE of Dunnipace, Eſq.

At Armagh, in Ireland, the 27th ult. Captain ROBERT HUNTER BLAIR, of the 68th regiment.

TAX ON INCOME.

The Commiſſioners in England have iſſued a paper to thoſe who apply for inſtructions how to eſtimate their income, which contains the following queſtions to thoſe concerned in Trade:

Have you eſtimated, in the account of the ſame, all the profits, advantages and emoluments, whether conſtant or occaſional, derived from any perſonal property, trade profeſſion, office, penſion, ſtipend, employment, or vocation, received by you within the period for which you have made up the account?

Have you taken in the full amount of the annual income received by you, as your own property, from any ſtocks or annuities, or from the intereſt of money, rent-charge, and other payments of the like nature, in which you are concerned?

TRADE.

Have you ſtated your income ariſing from trade in your uſual manner, and what you conſider binding on the partnerſhip (if you have partners)?

Have you founded your ſtatement from the laſt year's eſtimate or balance of your books, or on the average of three years?

If no accounts have been kept of annual profits,

Do you not conſider yourſelf capable of forming an idea of what you would eſtimate your trade to produce, having an intention to diſpoſe of the ſame?

Have you in the preſent ſtatement been governed by ſuch an idea?

MANUFACTURERS.

Have you uſually taken ſtock?

Is your preſent ſtatement made out in conformity thereto?

If you have not been in the habit of making an annual ſettlement of your affairs, how do you eſtimate your profits to ariſe?

Have you in your ſtatement abided by that rule, and is that rule ſuch as you would be governed by in the diſpoſal of your concerns?

To Shopkeepers and Retail Traders who do not keep ſuch regular accounts as to be able to know from their books what is the amount of their profits.

1. What method have you taken to know the amount of your income in the laſt year?

2. As you know what you ſpend weekly in your family, have you conſidered the expence of maintaining yourſelf and your family in diet, lodging, and cloaths, and all other expences, according to the ſituation you are in, for the whole year, and what do you eſtimate this muſt have amounted to?

3. Have you added the amount of any occaſional expences incurred by you for parties of pleaſure, taverns, and the like; and any outgoings for pariſh rates, houſe rent, or any other ſtanding charge?

4. Do you keep an horſe or chaiſe, or other carriage; and have you eſtimated what you ſpend in this manner?

5. Have you conſidered the amount of the foregoing expences? After they are all paid, do you judge that you are in a better or worſe ſituation than you were this time twelve-month?

6. If you are in a better, how much do you ſuppoſe yourſelf richer, on a fair eſtimate, than you were; and have you conſidered this increaſe, added to the amount of your expence, as your income; and have you charged yourſelf accordingly?

7. If you think you are in a worſe ſituation this year than the laſt, to how much do you ſuppoſe the difference amounts?

8. Have you deducted this laſt ſum, and no more, from the amount of your expences ariſing from the articles mentioned in the 2d, 3d, and 4th Queſtions; and have you given in the remainder as your income?

The HADDINGTON ASSEMBLY is fixed for Tueſday firſt, the 9th of April curt.

The enſuing General Aſſembly of the Church of Scotland meets on the 23d of May next, and not on the 16th as erroneouſly ſtated in ſome almanacks.

Notwithſtanding the many calls on the public for charitable inſtitutions, we are happy to be informed, that the collection laſt Sabbath evening in Mr STRUTHERS's church for the Deſtitute Sick, amounted nearly to forty pounds.

The Circuit Court was opened at Inveraray on Saturday, by Lord DUNSINNAN, but there was no buſineſs brought forward.

The Iriſh traitors paſſed at Queensferry to Fort George on Monday laſt. The northern air, it is hoped, will quiet their perturbed ſpirits, and give them a better way of thinking.

The Lottery finiſhed drawing on Tueſday the 26th; No. 29,725, blank, 500l. There has not been one for many years ſo unfavourable to the dealers in and holders of tickets, ſome of whom actually loſt ſeven and eight pounds per ticket. Moſt of the capital prizes having been drawn at an early period, lowered the price of tickets.

The Fifeſhire militia have arrived at Aberdeen, to replace the Hopetoun fencibles, who on Friday and Saturday marched for Linlithgow, where they are to be diſmembered.—Several of the men who have agreed to enliſt with other regiments were allowed to remain.

The Argyllſhire Company of Volunteers, commanded by Capt. COLIN CAMPBELL of Kilmartin, have voluntarily offered their ſervices to any part of Great Britain, in caſe of an actual invaſion, or the appearance of an enemy upon the coaſt; and they requeſt that their Captain will make the ſame known to his Grace the Lord Lieutenant of the county.

GILLESPIE'S HOSPITAL.

The late Mr GILLESPIE, merchant in Edinburgh, left by his will a conſiderable property, ſaid to be nearly 40,000l. the annual produce of which is deſtined to build an hoſpital for the reception and maintenance of old men and women, of good characters, and not under the age of 55 years.

The Maſter and other Managers of the Merchant Company of this city, for the time being, and the two miniſters of the Tolbooth Church, where he uſually attended divine ſervice, are appointed perpetual governors of the Hoſpital. The truſtees named in his will are likewiſe to be managers.

We underſtand that already Bargany houſe, at Wrights Houſes, has been purchaſed, with upwards of ſix acres of adjoining ground, where this hoſpital is to be erected. The houſe now ſtanding will afford a temporary accommodation, until a new houſe can be built.

The ſituation is very judiciouſly choſen; it is elevated, and probably the moſt healthy about town. It is neither too near, nor at too great a diſtance from the city.

Saturday, the corpſe of a boatman was taken out of the Clyde, at the Broomielaw. He had fallen into the river the evening before.

Tueſday, a new-born child was found dead in a cloſe in Gallowgate, Glaſgow, having apparently ſome marks of violence on the body. The Magiſtrates have offered ten guineas of reward for a diſcovery of the perpetrator.

GENERAL COURT MARTIAL.

On Friday the 22d March, a General Court Martial began to ſit in the Caſtle of Edinburgh, and continued for ten days, till Monday the 1ſt inſtant. The Court conſiſted of the following members:—

Major-General VYSE, President.
Col. W. A. Harbord, of the Norfolk fencible cavalry
Col. Edward Madden, of the 15th regiment of foot
Col. Stair Park Dalrymple, of the 72d do.
Lieut.-Col. Robert M'Farlane, of do. do.
Lieut.-Col. Robert Nicolſon, of the 1st do.
Lieut.-Col. Jo. French, of the 71ſt do.
Lieut.-Col. Jo. Skinner, of the 16th do.
Lieut.-Col. Robert Wood, of the 15th do.
Major Rob. Paſſingham, of the Pembroke fencible cavalry
Major John Borthwick, of the 71ſt regiment of foot
Major Lord Sinclair, of the 15th do.
Major George Maddiſon, of the 65th do.
Capt. Anthony French, of the 21ſt do.
Capt. Ronald Campbell, of the 72d do.
Alex. Fraſer Tytler, Eſq. Judge Advocate
Mr Robert Cameron, Deputy ditto and Clerk

On the firſt day of ſitting, the Court proceeded to the trial of Sir GEORGE THOMAS, Colonel of the Suſſex Fencible Cavalry, againſt whom the following charges were exhibited by Major J. C. WORTHINGTON of the ſame corps:—

1. For having made an offer to receive horſes for the late augmentation and recruitment of his regiment, at a price under that allowed by Government.

2. For having embezzled a part of the ſaid ſum allowed, thereby occaſioning his regiment to be ſupplied with horſes of a very inferior value, in direct violation of the oaths and certificates annexed to the pay liſts, vouching the ſtrict application of the ſums which were drawn for the above ſervice.

The Court were occupied for three days in the examination of evidence touching the proſecution and defence; which being cloſed, before pronouncing ſentence, they proceeded to the trial of Lieutenant Colonel TEESDALE, of the ſame regiment, on the following charges, exhibited againſt him by Major WORTHINGTON:—

1. For having connived at Colonel Sir GEORGE THOMAS's offer to and bargain with Lieutenant FAULDER, to furniſh horſes for the late augmentation and recruitment of the Suſſex Fencible Cavalry, at a price under that allowed by Government.

2. For having aided Colonel Sir GEORGE THOMAS in his embezzlement of a conſiderable part of the ſaid ſum allowed, by approving of horſes of a very inferior value, between the months of July 1798 and March 1799.

3. For having been a witneſs (as ſigned under his hand) of the paymaſter's taking the oaths contained in the pay liſts for the months of Auguſt, September, October, November, and December 1798, and January and February 1799, or ſome of theſe months, vouching the ſtrict application of the aforeſaid ſum in the purchaſe of the abovementioned horſes, and for certifying the ſaid pay liſts annexed to the ſaid paymaſter's ſeveral vouchers upon oath; he (Lieut. Col. TEESDALE) knowing a conſiderable part of the ſaid ſums ſo certified and vouched as ſtrictly applied, had not been duly expended.

4. For having offered to aſſociate himſelf with Lieutenant FAULDER, in furniſhing a ſupply of horſes for the augmentation now raiſing.

5. For general neglect of duty, in quarters and barracks; and for inattention to the diſcipline of the officers and men, and for diſcountenancing attention to the ſame on the part of Major WORTHINGTON.

6. For not duly promoting the ſucceſs of the augmentation of the regiment, ſince its offer of ſervice; after declining an efficient offer on the part of Major WORTHINGTON, for that purpoſe.

The Court finiſhed the examination of evidence of this trial on Wedneſday the 27th inſtant, and thereafter proceeded, with ſhut doors, to deliberate and pronounce ſentence on both the preceding trials.

On Thurſday the 28th, the General Court Martial proceeded to a third trial, viz. that of Lieutenant SMYTH, of the 16th regiment of foot, on the following charge brought againſt him by his Commanding Officer, Lieutenant Colonel HUGH WALLACE, of the ſame regiment:—For unofficerlike and ungentlemanlike conduct, on the night of the 25th of Auguſt 1798, at Dundee, in drawing his ſword and ſtabbing Lieutenant CALEB FALKENER WOOD, when unarmed. The affray happened after a dinner at the meſs, where the parties had drank to intoxication. The Court, after the examination of evidence on both ſides, proceeded to pronounce ſentence, with ſhut doors, on Monday 1ſt April. The ſeveral ſentences in theſe trials being reported to Sir RALPH ABERCROMBY, Commander in Chief, the reſult cannot be made public till his Excellency's opinion is intimated in general orders. The counſel for the defendants, Colonel Sir GEORGE THOMAS and Lieutenant Colonel TEESDALE, was CHARLES HOPE, Eſq. and for Lieutenant SMYTH, JAMES GORDON, Eſq. Advocates.

Extract of a letter from a Gentleman at New-York, dated 1ſt March, to his friend in Glaſgow.

"Owing to ſome diſpute to-day, I hear that the Captain of the Britiſh packet has ſunk the mail in the Eaſt River, and ordered the ſailors to ſtrike the colours. Many various rumours are going round reſpecting this circumſtance; the truth of none of them are yet aſcertained."

KIRKCALDY—March 29.

On Wedneſday laſt, the Kirkcaldy Volunteers had a grand field day on receiving their colours. They were carried from Major FERGUS's houſe to the field by Lieutenant Colonel WOODFORD and Major FERGUS, under eſcort of the Dyſart Volunteers, and preſented by Lieutenant Colonel WOODFORD, who delivered a very animated and ſuitable addreſs on the occaſion. The North Fencible Highlanders attended under arms, and while the Volunteers were filing under the colours, kept up a running fire, which had a grand effect. A number of other manœuvres were performed under the direction of Colonel WOODFORD, to the great ſatisfaction of ſeveral military gentlemen who were preſent. After the ceremony of the field was over, the Volunteers marched to church, and heard an excellent ſermon from the Rev. Mr FLEMING. A numerous party of gentlemen afterwards dined together, and ſpent the evening in the greateſt harmony. The Kirkcaldy Volunteers owe the honour of this grand exhibition to Lieutenant Colonel WOODFORD, who has ſince his reſidence here zealouſly and conſtantly exerted himſelf to promote the military improvement of this corps.

[FROM THE GLASGOW COURIER.]

GREENOCK, April 1.

Friday arrived here from Edinburgh, Major HAY, aid-de-camp to General Sir RALPH ABERCROMBIE, with orders from the Commander in Chief as to the rout, &c. of the State priſoners from Ireland; and on Saturday morning, came in a troop of the Rutland Light Dragoons under Captain BURD from Perth. The neceſſary directions having been given as to their landing, a detachment of the North York Militia marched for Gourock, where the veſſel lay, and the traitors were brought on ſhore, about two o'clock, by the boats in the impreſs ſervice, under the command of Captain RAMSAY; the troops forming a lane on the beach, from the boats to the carriages. They were immediately eſcorted to town and lodged in the Town-hall; whence they ſet off yeſterday morning early for the place of their deſtination, Fort George; accompanied by Major HAY, the King's meſſengers, Meſſ. SYLVESTER, SCOTT, and SMITH, and the dragoons.

It is underſtood that they are not to touch at any of the great towns on the road. The crowd that attended them at landing, but particularly on their coming to town, was immenſe; the public curioſity was naturally excited to ſee the helliſh authors of the diabolical ſcenes of rebellion, devaſtation, and murder that now diſgrace the ſiſter kingdom. They all wore a very *modeſt* Jacobinical ſmile on their faces; and on coming into town, they let down ſuch of the coach windows as were up that they might be ſeen. They are in general good looking men (particularly SWEETMAN, the two O'CONNORS and SWINEY) with the exception of the Rev. STEELE DIXON, whoſe countenance will, at any time, recommend him to the gallows, and is to all appearance better adapted for the office of Jack Ketch than the pulpit; he would make an excellent companion over a bottle to Captain MORRIS at the Whig Club. Counſellor EMMET is a *ſhort-ſighted* man. ARTHUR O'CONNOR was dreſſed in green; the uniform of the Iriſh rebels; happy would it have been for this country and the peace of Ireland, had the whole pack been clothed with *green turf* ſix years ago.

The helliſh ſpirit of ſedition which poſſeſſes theſe traitors will never reſt. One of them, I believe, Dr M'NEVEN, followed one of the waiters who attended them at dinner into a room adjoining the Town-hall, and put ſeveral queſtions to him, particularly as to the number of troops in Paiſley, Glaſgow, &c. but the waiter very properly declined giving him any reply, except to one queſtion—pray do you know *what is the ſtate of the people's minds* here, are they *all loyal?* Yes, all loyal to a man (with great truth) replied the waiter, to the aſtoniſhment of the traitor. They are twenty in number; ſixteen from Dublin and four from Belfaſt; they are completely cropped, and all wear muſtachoes *après la mode Françaiſe.*

DUMFRIES—April 2.

Laſt week, a written hand bill was paſted up on the corner of the brick lodging here, threatening to deſtroy the Magiſtrates and their houſes, if the three men of the Oxfordſhire cavalry, who were apprehended for ſtealing an ewe, were not liberated in forty-eight hours. It was ſigned "The Oxfordſh. Dragoons and others." In conſequence of this, the Oxfordſhire dragoons publiſhed an advertiſement, offering a reward of one hundred guineas (a week's pay) to any perſon who would diſcover the authors or adviſers of the ſaid hand bill. Yeſterday, the Provoſt received a threatening letter of the ſame kind, and about nine o'clock laſt night, ſome of the windows of his printing office were broken. The Magiſtrates have alſo iſſued an advertiſement, offering a further reward of twenty guineas, for the diſcovery of the perſons concerned in this diabolical buſineſs.

DUBLIN—March 28.

All the troops of the line and militia, Britiſh and Iriſh, are on the eve of going into encampments, and the neceſſary equipage is now iſſuing from his Majeſty's ſtores to the ſeveral regiments.

Yeſterday, a large quantity of arms, military ſtores, &c. were ſhipped for Waterford and Limerick by order of Government.

Tueſday a conſiderable quantity of gunpowder from England was landed, and lodged in the Government ſtores on Georg 's quay.

MARCH 30.

Monday, at the aſſizes of Clonmell, a cauſe was tried before Lord Yelverton and Judge Chamberlain. It was an action for 1000l. damages, for flogging and impriſonment, brought by a Mr WRIGHT, teacher of the French language at the ſchools in Clonmel, againſt THOMAS JUDKIN FITZGERALD, Eſq. late High Sheriff of the county of Tipperary.—Jury found a verdict for the plaintiff, 500l. damages, and 6d. coſts.

The bill for diſqualifying perſons who had been engaged in the rebellion from voting at elections, was loſt in the Houſe of Commons yeſterday.

LONDONDERRY—March 19.

On Tueſday laſt a General Court Martial aſſembled in this garriſon, by order of Major General NUGENT, for the trial of Lieutenant JAMES CRAIGIE, of the Aberdeenſhire fencible infantry, charged with "having, in ſeveral inſtances, behaved unbecoming the character of an officer and a gentleman."

On Saturday, at half paſt two in the afternoon, the proceedings of the Court on this trial were finally cloſed and immediately forwarded to Dublin.

The Court then adjourned to Monday the 18th inſtant, and having met purſuant to adjournment, proceeded to the trial of DAVID KER and JOHN WHITE, privates in the 3d battalion of the Breadalbanes, upon charges "of having at various times, and particularly on the 7th inſt. ſtoned, plundered, aſſaulted, or otherwiſe ill-treated divers perſons on the highway."—This trial being concluded before 3 o'clock, the Court adjourned to Tueſday the 19th (this day) for the trial of other ſoldiers, accuſed of having committed depredations againſt the public to an alarming extent, his worſhip the Mayor, and the other magiſtrates concerned, having given them up to martial law, with the approbation of Lord CAVAN.—*Londonderry Jour.*

MEMBERS FOR THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Preſbytery of Aberdeen—Mr Strachan at Durris, Dr Brown at Aberdeen, Dr Gerard at Old Aberdeen, and Mr Allan at Newhills, Miniſters; William Robertſon, Eſq. Procurator for the Church, and John Gordon Eſq. of Craig, ruling Elders.

Mariſchal College, Dr Hamilton.

Preſbytery of Perth.—Mr Dunbar, of Kinnoul; Mr John Inglis, of Tippermuir; Mr Arthur, of Scoon; Mr Duff, of Kinfauns, miniſters.—Mr Alexander Beatſon, W. S. and Mr James Dickſon, bookſeller, ruling elders.

As our paper was going to preſs, an advertiſement from Liverpool reached us, announcing the publication of a New Treatiſe on Nervous Complaints, with a Diſſertation on Cold Bathing. This tract appears to be patronized by the Prince of Wales, to whom it is dedicated. It doubtleſs will experience a rapid ſale. Our columns appropriated for advertiſements in this day's paper being made up, it certainly ſhall appear in our next.—Dr SOLOMAN is the author.

ARRIVED AT LEITH.

—— 2. Endeavour, Tod, from Perth, goods; Catharine and Iſabella, Nairn, from do. do.; Robina, Spence, from Kirkwall, do.; Inverneſs, Crear, from Inverneſs, do.; Nelly, Crichton, from Newburgh, do.; Newcaſtle Packet, Caithneſs, from Dundee, do.; Leith, M'Fie, from Greenock, do; Nelly, Small, from Dundee, do.; London and Berwick Packet, Ward, from London, do.

—— 3. Wedderburn, Wilſon, from Emsworth, do; Aberdeen and Leith Packet, M'Donald, from Aberdeen, do.

CLEARED OUT.

William and Betſey, Garrod, for Newcaſtle; Volunteer, Rattray, for Anſtruther; Lizard, Douglas, for Inverneſs; Two Brothers, Milne, for Aberdeen; Maria, Jameſon, for Glaſgow; Peggy, Buchan, for Peterhead; Berwickſhire Packet, Cummings, from London, all with goods.

CUPAR CORN MARKET, March 28.

	Higheſt.	Medium.	Loweſt.
Barley per boll, L.	0 16 6	0 16 0	0 15 0

No returns made of other Grain.

DEFENCE OF THE COUNTRY.

Subscriptions in the Town of HAMILTON, in the shire of Lanark.

John Hinshaw, of Ballgreen, Senior Magistrate for the town of Hamilton	L. 100	0	0
John Hinshaw, for himself	10	0	0
Robert Lamb, of Templetall	5	0	0
John Bryson, writer	3	3	0
John Torrance, baker	3	3	0
Ja. Roxburgh, tanner	10	10	0
John Hinshaw for William Kennewie	5	5	0
Arch. Burns, Sheriff-substitute,	4	4	0
Ditto for Mrs Bethia Burns	1	1	0
William Mather, of Lewhlee	5	5	0
John Mather, merchant	4	4	0
Wm. Cuningham, sen.	2	2	0
Oliver Bower, saddler	2	2	0
Jos. Chambers, grocer	2	2	0
Wm. Brownlee, clockmaker	1	1	0
Alex. Burns, merchant	1	1	0
Ja Paterson, shoemaker	3	3	0
Wm. Hamilton, writer	3	3	0
Wm. Brown, M. D.	5	5	0
Robert Whithead, surgeon	2	2	0
John Archer, tallow-chandler	2	2	0
Adam Roxburgh, merchant	2	2	0
Thomas Lourie	2	2	0
William Kennewie, for J. Henderson	5	5	0
Do. for Tho. Grier	0	10	6
Do. for Gar. Brownlee	0	10	6
Do. for Margaret Kerr	0	10	6
Do. for Geo. Robertson	1	1	0
Geo. Haddoo and Son	5	0	0
Robert Anderson	2	2	0
John Dykes	3	3	0
John M'Nair	1	1	0
John Stevenson	3	3	0
James Mack	3	3	0
John Boyes, Esq. Mollhall	30	0	0
Robert Corbet	1	1	0
Thomas Naismith	2	2	0
James Paterson, for Richard ——, M. D.	2	2	0
John Aiton	2	2	0
Thomas Mackie	1	1	0
William Cooper	1	1	0
James Paterson, writer	1	1	0
Do. for father	1	1	0
George Gillies	2	2	0
John Reeve, Simshonland	5	0	0
John Patton	1	1	0
Mrs Quintan Hamilton, widow	1	1	0
Mrs Hart, widow	1	1	0
Alex. Gray, manufacturer	3	3	0
Alex. Taylor	1	1	0
David Mannic	1	1	0
Robert Frame	2	2	0
Jos. Fenwick	2	2	0
James Purdie and Son	2	2	0
Wm. Cuningham, jun.	2	2	0
Wm. Cuningham, of Addilson	1	1	0
Rob. Pender, sen.	3	3	0
Rob. Pender, jun.	1	1	0
Alex. Gray, jun.	1	1	0
Wm. Clerk, vintner	2	2	0
Daniel Nicholson	1	11	6
David Craig	1	1	0
John Levular	1	0	0
Ja. Stewart, merchant	2	2	0
Jo. Mather, for Robert Mather, Meikle Earnock	2	2	0
Do. for W. Smellie, manufacturer	1	1	0
Rob. Reid, flaxdresser	1	1	0
John Torrance, for B. Goldie	2	2	0
John Mather, for AndrewThomson, Navy	1	1	0
Do. for John Eglinton	1	1	0
James Pender	4	4	0
Andrew Scott	2	2	0
Henry Scott	1	1	0
Wm. Breyson	1	1	0
Thomas Peter	3	3	0
Mrs Fullerton	1	1	0
A person unknown	2	2	0
James Reid, schoolmaster	1	1	0
Arch. Cooper	1	1	0
George Maxwell	1	1	0
W. Hamilton, for Mr Whanie, surgeon	2	2	0
Do. for James Corbet, jun.	1	1	0
Wm. Brown	1	1	0
John Hinshaw, for a person unknown	2	2	0
Wm. Kennewie, for Mrs Anderson	1	1	0
Do. for Humphrey Crirar	0	5	3
Do. for Francis Weir of His Grace's servants.	0	5	3
Thomas Fairhall	2	2	0
Mrs Read	1	1	0
James Pringle	2	2	0
Jo. Davidson, footman	2	2	0
Robert Watson	1	1	0
John Davidson, groom	1	1	0
Wm. M'Bain, servant to Dr M'Caggan	1	1	0
James Donald	2	2	0
George Parker	1	1	0
Archibald Burns, for John Granger, W. S.	L.	5	5	0
Allan Stevenson, Captain 56th regiment		10	10	0
James Robertson, surgeon		2	2	0
William Kennewie, for a gentlewoman		3	3	0
Do. for Mr Limmonds		2	2	0
Do. for a friend		2	2	0
John Torrance and Wm. Wright, 15s. each		1	10	0
Arthur Allan; Thomas Hamilton, stockingmaker; Jo. Simpson; James Bell, baker; George Steven, cooper; Alexander M'Culloch; Jo. Mather, for Ja. Allan; Wm. Kennewie, for Andrew Weir; Ditto, for James Weir; John Mather, for Jo. Sommers; Wm. Kennewie, for Jo. M'Kenzie; Ditto, for David Shaw; Ja. Reid, jun.; John Mather, for Robert Dick; Ditto, for Jo. Dick; Archibald Burns, for Mrs Sheeling; Gavin Rowat, junior; Gavin Martin, mason; William Kennewie, for Zachariah Stainridge; William Dunn, and Morris Brian, servants to the Duke of Hamilton, 10s. 6d. each		11	0	6
James Paterson, for David Dykes; Ditto, for John Wilson; William Kennewie, for Christy Govan, 10s. each		1	10	0
William Finlay		0	5	6
John Finlay,		0	7	0
Hugh Ramsay, Wm. Stewart; John Kyle, and Duncan Stewart		0	10	6
Christian Dykes, Andrew Barry, Andrew Bell, Andrew Lauder, G. Murphy, James Davidson, John Lightbody, John Clark, George Donaldson, John Plows, Gavin Shearer, James Braconridge, Thomas Smellie, Joseph Hartie, 5s. each		3	10	0
James Robertson, James Baird, sen. 2s. 6d. each		0	5	0
Wm. Kennewie, for Ja. Lang		0	5	3
Ditto, for Alex. Smith		0	7	6
	L.	376	13	3

SUBSCRIPTIONS

By INDIVIDUALS, and in Parishes from whence no Lists have been transmitted.

The parish of Calder, per the Rev. Mr Grant	L.	26	0	0
The parish of Cavinie, per the Rev. Mr Chalmers		31	14	6
Messr. Ramsay, Williamson, and Co. Leith		300	0	0
John Balfour, Esq. of Balbirnie (to cover affected taxes)		300	0	0
Lieut. Wm. M'Leod of Glendell, Isle of Sky		5	5	0
Mr John Rae, dentist, Edinburgh, R. E. V.		10	10	0
Mr Wm. Laidlaw, mathematician, Edinburgh		10	10	0
The Rev. Mr Scott, minister, Dalkeith		12	12	0
Mr Richard Cochran, Dalkeith		10	10	0
Mr John Wardlaw, ditto		10	10	0
Mr Alex. Bruce, upholsterer, Edinburgh		10	10	0
James Baillie, Esq. of Coulterallers		25	0	0
Parish of Walls and Flotta, per Rev. Mr Bremner		24	0	0
John Ogilvie, Esq. of Cardoch, Stirling		105	0	0
Part of the parish of Airth, per ditto		51	4	6
A Lady in Haddington, per Mr Roughead		3	3	0
Thomas Elliot Ogilvie, Esq. of Chesters		50	0	0
Jean Gardener, chambermaid to Commissioner Philips		0	5	0
Janet Ritchie, cook to ditto		0	5	0
Mr Robert Cumming in Rollcraig		3	3	0
Hugh Stewart, Esq. of Tendergil		21	0	0
John Hannay in North, in Cairndow, and Peter ——, in Kirby, in parish of Glassarton		6	6	0
The town of Dalkeith, per Mr Wilson		105	0	0
Mr James Sutherland, factor to Lord Dundas		21	0	0
M. D. Beaton, session-clerk		10	0	0
Individuals in the parish of Rothiemurchus, united to Duthill, not engaged in the volunteer company of that district, per the Rev. Mr P. Grant		27	15	6
Alex. Welsh, Esq. of Pitervan, and family		43	14	6
The Rev. Mr Alex. Welsh, Drumelzier		5	5	0
Mr Alex. Tweedie, Stanhope		5	5	0
Mr John Tweedie, ditto		5	5	0
Inhabitants of Leith		1833	18	0
Ditto (to cover affected taxes)		230	0	0
The parish of Edzel, Forfarshire, per the Rev. Mr Hutton		15	9	0
St Mary's College, St Andrews		200	0	0
Inhabitants of Paisley		2859	12	6
Paisley Banking Company		500	0	0
Town and parish of Jedburgh		234	13	9
The parish of Traquair, Dumfries-shire		253	15	6
Miss Gordon, Queen Street, Leith		2	2	0
John Bartholomew, Esq. Dunfermline		15	0	0
Inhabitants of Glasgow		13938	14	6
First regiment of Royal Glasgow Volunteers		2100	0	0

The following Subscriptions in BORROWSTOWNNESS.

Amount of Subscriptions formerly published	L.	312	17	3
ADDITIONAL.				
Miss Walkinshaw		3	3	0
The Rev. Mr Rennie		5	5	0
Mrs Robert Stevenson		1	1	0
Mr Jo. Ross, vintner		1	1	0
	L.	323	7	3

DOUGLAS BLEACHFIELD,

Near Dundee, 1799.

WILLIAM SANDEMAN, grateful for past favours, begs leave to inform the Public, that he continues to bleach in the best manner, at his usual moderate prices.

Cloth taken in at Edinburgh by Mess. Phin and Patison, South Bridge—at Arbroath by Mr William Renny, merchant—at Montrose by Mr John Kinnear, merchant, and Mr James Findlay at Mess. Nicol and Webster's factoty—at Brechin by Mr David Erskine, merchant—at Forfar by Mr David Adam, merchant—at Glammis by Mr Alexander Fairweather, merchant—at Kirriemuir by Alexander Deuchars, carrier—at William Sandeman's shop, Cowgate, Dundee; and at the Bleachfield.

TAX ON ARMORIAL BEARINGS OR ENSIGNS.

STAMP-OFFICE, EDINBURGH, MARCH 28. 1798.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons in arrear of this Tax, that unless the same is immediately paid up, they will be prosecuted for the statutory penalty of TWENTY POUNDS, and for that purpose informations will be received by the Solicitor, and suitable rewards given. ALEX. MENZIES,
Head Distributor and Collector, North Britain.

N. B.—*Alphabetical Lists of all those Licensed will be immediately published, and Lists lie constantly open at the different offices, for the inspection of all persons desiring the same.*

HAIR POWDER TAX.

STAMP-OFFICE, EDINBURGH, MARCH 29. 1799.

THE Head Distributor of His Majesty's STAMP DUTIES in North Britain, in pursuance of "*An Act for granting to His Majesty a Duty on Certificates issued for using Hair Powder*," hereby gives notice to every person using or wearing HAIR POWDER, That they will receive Certificates, for the ensuing year, from 5th April 1799 to 5th April 1800, at the following places—viz.

HEAD OFFICE AT EDINBURGH.

1. DUNDEE.

Dundee,	—	*John Alison.*

2. ABERDEEN.

Aberdeen,	—	*Auldjo & Williamson.*
Banff,	—	Thomas Ogilvie.
Stonehaven,	—	John Burnet.
Old Meldrum,	—	Thomas Simpson.
Huntly,	—	Alexander Stewart.
Peterhead,	—	John Dallachy.
Fraserburgh,	—	John Wallace.
Turriff,	—	James Adam.

3. TAIN.

Tain,	—	*John Barclay.* James Taylor.
Milnton,	—	John Montgomery.
Dingwall,	—	Patrick Hay.
Cromarty,	—	Walter Ross.
Fortrose,	—	Bernard Williamson.

4. PERTH.

Perth,	—	*James Chalmers.* Robert Mercer. William Chalmers.
Alyth,	—	George Brown.
Blairgowrie,	—	Alexander Masterton.
Culross,	—	James Inches.
Dunkeld,	—	James Finlayson.
Dunblane,	—	John Gibson.
Doune,	—	William Muir.
Longforgan,	—	Peter Gordon.
Gartmore,	—	Walter Macfarlane.
Errol,	—	Mrs M'Intyre.
Kenmore,	—	Robert Rentoul.
Kincardine,	—	James Glass.
Crieff,	—	Gilbert Macewan.
Callander,	—	

5. HADDINGTON.

Haddington,	—	*Hay Donaldson.*
Dunbar,	—	Thomas Diddop.
Tranent,	—	David Aitken.
Gifford,	—	Robert Paterson.
North Berwick,		Mrs Oliver.
Stenton,	—	John Begbie.
Linton,	—	Alexander Brown.
Prestonpans,	—	David Thomson.
Ormiston,	—	George Tod.

6. BRECHIN.

Brechin,	—	*Colin Gillies.*

7. INVERNESS.

Inverness,	—	*Thomas Gibson.* John Fraser.
Fort William,	—	Duncan M'Intyre, jun.

8. INVERARAY.

Inveraray,	—	*Edward Hall.*
Lochgilphead,	—	Walter Clark.
Oban,	—	John Bayne.

9. AYR.

Ayr,	—	*John Hamilton.*
Irvine,	—	Robert Todd, jun. A. Cunningham.
Kilmarnock,	—	J. Wilson, surgeon. J. Wilson, printer.
Saltcoats,	—	Daniel Dow.
Maybole,	—	J. Niven and Son.
Girvan,	—	W. Brown and Co.
Ballantrae,	—	J. M'Whirter.
Beith,	—	William Dunn.
Stewarton,	—	Andrew Brown.
Mauchline,	—	W. Millar.
Dalmellington,	—	W. Sloss.
Ochiltree,	—	David Kirkland.
Cumnock,	—	James Kirkland.

10. NAIRN.

Nairn,	—	*Alexander Hay.*
Forres,	—	Thomas Eddie.
Elgin,	—	Isaac Forsyth.

11. LERWICK, ZETLAND.

Lerwick,	—	*Francis Heddel.*

12. DUNSE.

Dunse.	—	*James Home.*
Lauder,	—	Robert Romannes.
Eyemouth,	—	James Edgar.
Coldstream,	—	William Air.
Greenlaw,	—	Peter Hogg.
Earlstoun,	—	William Hogg.

13. PEEBLES.

Peebles,	—	*William Laidlaw.*
Selkirk,	—	Andrew Henderson.
Gallashiels,	—	William Craig.

14. DORNOCK.

Dornock,	—	*Hugh Leslie.*

15. CUPAR FIFE.

Cupar Fife,	—	*James Lumsdaine.*
Dunfermline,	—	Miss Russell.
Inverkeithing,	—	Henry Arnot.
Burntisland,	—	David Knox.
Kirkcaldy	—	John Ford.
Leven,	—	Mrs Scott.
Anstruther,	—	William Cockburn.
St Andrews,	—	Alexander Fraser.
Falkland,	—	Thomas Kennedy.
Ely,	—	Thomas Archbald.
Kinross,	—	John Skelton.

16. JEDBURGH.

Jedburgh,	—	*John Lang.*
Kelso,	—	Robert Bruce.
Melrose,	—	John Mercer.
Hawick,	—	John Oliver.

17. CAMPBELLTOUN.

Campbelltoun,	—	*Duncan M'Callum.*

18. GLASGOW.

Glasgow,	—	*William Muir.* Peter Blackburn.
Lanark,	—	Robert Newbigging.
Hamilton,	—	William Hamilton.
Paisley,	—	James Orr.
Greenock,	—	Robert Barr.
Port Glasgow,	—	J. King.
Dumbarton,	—	John M'Aulay.
Rothsay, Bute,	—	John Blain.

19. FORFAR.

Forfar,	—	*Peter Ranken.*
Cupar Angus,	—	George Brown.
Kirriemuir,	—	James Shepherd.

20. KIRKWALL, ORKNEY.

Kirkwall,	—	*James Riddoch.*

21. THURSO.

Thurso,	—	*Donald Robeson.*

22. DUMFRIES.

Dumfries,	—	*John Syme.*
Sanquhar,	—	Robert Whigham.
Moffat,	—	Alexander Craig.
Lockerby,	—	Janet Dalton.
Ecclefechan,	—	Janet Kerr.
Langholm,	—	John Graham.
Annan,	—	John Forrest.
Castle Douglas,	—	George Cameron.
Kirkcudbright,	—	Thomas M'Millan.
Gatehouse,	—	Anthony M'Nish.
Newton Douglas,	—	James Carson.
Stranraer,	—	Robert Bryce. Patrick Taylor.
Portpatrick,	—	John Wallace.
Wigtown,	—	Alex. Burton.
Whithorn,	—	James M'Millan.

23. LINLITHGOW.

Linlithgow,	—	*James Taylor.*
Queensferry,	—	Robert Murray.
Borrowstounness,	—	Henry Rymer.
Bathgate,	—	Robert Mochrie.

24. MONTROSE.

Montrose,	—	*Charles Thomson.*
Arbroath,	—	John Colvill.
Bervie,	—	David Gavin.
Laurencekirk,	—	John Scott.

25. STIRLING.

Stirling,	—	*Thomas Wingate.*
Alloa,	—	John Sharp.
Falkirk,	—	John Burns.

At all which places the persons applying for said certificates will be furnished, gratis, with the printed form of the entry required by the act, to be filled up in writing, and delivered in previously to the issuing of said certificate.

And to prevent mistakes, the public are hereby apprised, That a duty of *one pound one shilling* only is to be paid for each certificate, which sum will be expressed by a *stamp* on the same; and that no more is to be demanded of any person upon taking out a certificate for using or wearing Hair Powder upon any pretence whatever, except when there are more than two unmarried daughters in a family, in which case a double certificate, stamped with TWO STAMPS of *one pound one shilling each*, is required to be taken out by the father or mother for such unmarried daughters.

Daily attendance will be given at the above offices for one kalendar month, from Monday the 1st of April next, from ten o'clock forenoon till three afternoon, Saturdays excepted.

ALEXR. MENZIES,
Head Distributor, North Britain.

N. B. *Every person using Hair Powder, without taking out certificate, forfeits* TWENTY POUNDS. *All persons in arrear o this tax are immediately required to pay up the same; and informations are received by the Solicitor, and suitable rewards given.*

Alphabetical Lists are regularly made up and lie open for the inspection of all persons desiring the same.

EXEMPTIONS FROM THE ABOVE TAX.

CLERGYMEN not possessed of an annual income of 100l. or upwards, whether arising from ecclesiastical preferment or otherwise.

SUBALTERNS OF NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS, or PRIVATE MEN belonging to any regiment in the ARMY, ARTILLERY, MILITIA, DIVISION OF MARINES, CORPS OF ENGINEERS OR FENCIBLE CORPS, OFFICERS in his Majesty's NAVY, under the rank of COMMANDERS, OFFICERS, or PRIVATES, in any Corps of YEOMANRY or VOLUNTEERS, either Cavalry or Infantry.

IRON WORKS, &c. FOR SALE.

THE IRON WORKS on the River Devon, within three English miles of the Port of Alloa, on the Frith of Forth, and about thirty miles distant from Edinburgh, are to be SOLD by public roup on Wednesday 15th May 1799, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, between the hours of five and seven afternoon.

These Works consist of

Two Blast Furnaces of the largest dimensions, with a complete Fire Engine, and Blowing Apparatus, in the best order; a large Smithy and Wright's Shop, and a number of Houses for workmen.

A Feu of Land of about Thirty Scotch Acres, on which these Works are situated, within the estate of Sauchy and county of Clackmannan.

A Lease of the Colliery and Iron-stone in that estate for sixty years from Whitsunday 1793.

A Lease, for the same period, of an extensive Farm of good land. Also,

A Lease of the level-free Coal and Iron-stone in the adjacent estate of Tillycultry, with several other leases of Iron-stone in that neighbourhood and elsewhere.

Devon is reckoned one of the first situations in Britain for iron Works, and the excellent quality of the coal (for the manufacture of iron,) and also the quality of the iron-stone of Sauchie, have long been established.

The two principal seams of coal are, one of five and one of nine feet thick, besides which there are several thiner seams; but the two first are of such extent that a hundred colliers constantly employed could not exhaust them during the lease, and the port of Alloa furnishes a steady market and good price for any quantity that might be raised, over supplying the furnaces.

The river Devon is capable, in the dryest season, to work machinery to blow four or five furnaces, and could, at a moderate expence, be brought down to the works with a fall of between 40 and 50 feet.

N. B.—The live and dead stock, utensils and materials, &c. to be taken off by the purchaser of the Works at an appraisement.

For particulars apply to Charles Addison at Borrowstounness; John Tait, jun. writer to the signet, Edinburgh; or Henry Smith, Esq. Drapers Hall, London.

Mr Addison, Mr Tait, or Mr Smith will receive proposals from persons desirous to treat by private bargain previous to the day of sale.

Mr James Scot, residing at Sauchie, near Alloa, will shew the works, &c.

AN EXTENSIVE SALMON FISHING,

ON THE RIVER SOLWAY.

To be LET, and entered into immediately, for one or three years, as may be afterwards agreed on,

ALL and Whole that extensive SALMON FISHING, being the Lake or Raise-Net Fishing on the Frith or River Solway, belonging to the Right Hon. the Earl of Mansfield, as some time possessed by James Graham, and lastly by John Scott and others.

This Salmon Fishing lies along the coast opposite to the Earl's estates of Dornock and Gratney, comprehending a track of coast near six miles.

For particulars enquire at Robert Henderson, Esq. at Comlongon, or James Laidlaw, clerk to the signet.

A FARM IN FIFE.

To be LET for Nineteen Years, and entered to at Martinmas 1799,

THE Farm of MURDOCAIRNIE, and part of SCRYND, in the parish of Kilmany, and shire of Fife, presently possessed by David Tod, situated within three miles of the Tay, and nearly the same distance from the county town, and containing in whole, as now divided and laid off, 141 Scots acres rich arable land, and six acres unarable.

Offers in writing may be made to James Thomson, writer to the signet, North Castle Street, Edinburgh; or to Mr Horsburgh, Cupar-Fife.

COUNTY OF FORFAR.

FARMS TO BE LET

For 19 years, and entered to Whitsunday 1799,

THE FARM of DENHEAD, in the parish of Arbirlott, measuring about 64 Scots acres arable.

The FARM of MILLTOWN of CONAN, in the parish of Carmyllie, measuring about 87 Scots acres arable, 15 acres valuable pasture, and 10 acres muir.

The BRAE of CONAN, measuring about 18 Scots acres arable, and 1 acre pasture.

There are besides, about 64 Scots acres improveable muir, part of which may be set along with the above farms if wanted. The farms are well watered, and lie within three miles of the town of Arbroath.

The grounds will be shewn by Francis Weir in Crofts, or by the present tenants.

Offers may be given in to Mr Alexander Smith at Middleton, which shall be concealed, if required.

FARM IN FIFE TO LET.

To be LET for Thirteen years, and entered to at Michaelmas next, 1799,

THE FARM of LUCKLAW, possessed by James Farmer, lying in the parish of Leuchars, consisting of about 100 Scots acres of arable land, and a few acres of hill pasture. It is of a black loamy soil, producing good crops of all kinds. It lies within six miles both of Cupar, the county town, and of St Andrews, where there are regular weekly corn markets, and within about three miles of Newport on the Tay, where victual is shipt.

The present tenant will shew the farm, and a plan and measurement of it will be seen in the hands of Mr Robert Johnston, writer in Cupar, to whom proposals in writing may be given in betwixt this and the 1st of May next. Those not accepted will be concealed, if desired.

LEASE

Of that well-frequented and central
HOTEL, No. 2, PRINCE'S STREET,
with the Furniture therein, to be sold.

THE Lease is current for ten years after Whitsunday first, and the purchaser of the tack may be accommodated with the Household Furniture, which is in excellent condition; and, great part of it having been made to suit the house, it will be a very considerable acquisition to the tenant. The furniture will either be sold in slump, or upon a fair valuation.

The house and furniture may be seen every lawful day, from one to three o'clock. And offers in writing for the lease and furniture will be received by Mr William Goddard, merchant, Exchange, or Nathaniel Grant, writer, New Street, betwixt and Friday the 5th of April next, on which day the offerers are requested to meet in the said house, at one o'clock afternoon, when the different offers will be considered and determined upon.

Immediate access to both house and furniture can be given.

COUNTY OF BERWICK

FOULDEN WEST MAINS & WHITECORNLEE,

To be LET for such a number of years as shall be agreed upon, and entered to at Whitsunday 1800.

THIS Farm consists of 716 acres, great part of which are of a most substantial soil, fit for heavy crops of Wheat, Clover, or rich Pasture; the remainder is well suited to the Turnip Husbandry.

To the east of the Berwick road, which runs through the middle of the farm, there is a command of water for working a threshing machine; and on the south, the lands are bounded for upwards of a mile by the water of Whitadder. From the fall in that river, mills or other machinery may be erected.

This farm is distant six miles from Berwick, and eight from Dunse. The public roads leading to these towns, and to all parts of the adjacent country, pass through the lands, in directions which give easy access to markets, lime, and coal.

Proposals in writing, containing the conditions with regard to the number and extent of additional buildings and additional inclosing required, to be made to George Baillie, Esq. of Jerviswood, the proprietor, or to Henry Swan, at Kello, his factor.

Mr Thomson, the tenant at Foulden Mains, will send a person to shew the marches.

LANDS IN FIFE TO BE SOLD.

To be SOLD by public voluntary roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 22d day of May, 1799, between the hours of two and three afternoon,

THE LANDS and ESTATE of WESTER SALINE, lying in the parish of Saline, and county of Fife. These Lands lie within six miles of the town of Alloa, the same distance from Dunfermline and Kincardine, and about two from the village of Saline, and in the immediate vicinity of coal and lime, and within half a mile of the turnpike road leading from Alloa to Kinross. There are coal and limestone in the Lands.

The Lands are of considerable extent, mostly inclosed, and very improveable, and at present very low let, but will rise considerably, and most of the principal leases expire in a few years. There are a great many fine belts of planting round the inclosures, besides other very valuable plantations upon the Estate fit for cutting, and from which a considerable sum might be produced annually.—The Farm Houses on the Estate are in good repair, and on the principal Farm there is a very commodious Dwelling-house and offices, which might at no great expence be made a residence for a family.

The Lands hold of a subject superior for payment of a small feu duty of 10 merks Scots. The teinds are valued and exhausted.

The articles of roup and progress of writs are in the hands of Mess. Abercromby and Walker, writers to the signet, of whom or to William Haig at Dollar, application may be made for further particulars. Alexander Scott, Baron officer at Saline, will shew the Lands.

SALE OF LANDS OF SAUCHRIE.

THE LANDS and ESTATE of SAUCHRIE, lying in the parish of Maybole, and shire of Ayr, are to be exposed to public roup within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 15th day of May next, betwixt the hours of six and seven o'clock afternoon.

The estate consists of 755 English acres. It is three miles distant from the town of Maybole, six miles from Ayr, and about the same distance from coal and lime, to which there is easy access by good roads. The free yearly rent (the public burdens being trifling) is 254l. 12s. 2d. which must rise considerably on the expiry of the present leases. About 320 acres of the land are inclosed and subdivided; the fields are in general well watered, and sheltered with hedge-rows of old trees and broad belts of planting, all of which are in the most thriving condition. There are nearly 40 acres of wood on the property of very considerable value, great part of which may be cut and thinned at present with much profit and advantage to the remaining trees.

The Mansion-house is delightfully situated, with suitable offices and an excellent Garden, the whole being calculated for the accommodation of a genteel family. The farm-houses are new and substantial. A purchaser may enter to the immediate possession of above sixty acres of valuable land surrounding the house. The estate and neighbouring country is bound with game, and a fine trouting stream runs through the lands. A more desirable country residence is not at present to be found.

This estate is held feu of the Prince; the lands are not thirled to any mill, and the teinds are valued and exhausted. An accurate measurement and plan of the property has been lately made, with an estimate of its value, including the growing timber upon the estate, and with the title deeds and leases may be seen in the hands of Alexander Young, writer to the signet, No. 48, Queen Street, Edinburgh.

A copy of the plan and measurement may likewise be seen in the hands of Thomas M'Clelland, writer in Ayr, who will furnish every other necessary information, and the house and grounds will be shewn to any person who may apply for that purpose at the mansion house of Sauchrie.

Offers for a sale by private bargain will be received by Mr Young, any time betwixt and the day of sale above mentioned.

SUPERIORITIES

In the Counties of Perth and Forfar for Sale.

To be SOLD by public roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, on Friday the 17th day of May 1799, at two o'clock afternoon,

THE SUPERIORITY of the following LANDS, lying in the county of Perth.

I.—Part of the Lands of CUPAR-GRANGE, valued in the cess-books of the county at 498l. 5s. 2d. Scots, thereby affording a Freehold Qualification in the county, and held feu for the annual payment of 6l. 14s. 7d. 7-12ths Sterling. The real rent is above 200l. Sterling yearly. The entry of singular successors is not taxed, and a composition will be due on the death of the last entered vassal, who is elderly.

II.—The Lands of MYLNEFIELD, BALBUNNOCH, and GEDPIKE, which stand valued in the cess-books at 20l. 3s. 4d. Sterling in whole, and are held feu for payment of [illegible] shillings Sterling yearly. The real rent is very considerable, and the entry of singular successors is not taxed.

III.—Two Several Sixteenth Parts of the Lands of BALBROGIE, each valued in the cess-books at about 36l. Scots.—They are held feu for clusory duties, but the entry of singular successors is untaxed, and both the present proprietors are singular successors and untaxed.

The SUPERIORITY of the following LANDS in the county of Forfar:

V.—The Lands of BALLINSHOE, WOODHEAD, and BARNSDALE FAULDS, retoured to a Fifty Shilling Land of old extent, and thereby affording a Freehold Qualification in the county.—These lands stand valued in the cess-books at 333l. Scots.

		Valued Rent.	
Over and Nether Bowhouses	L.	166	13	4
Easter and Wester Sandieford		80	0	0
The Feu-duty payable out of these two parcels		20	8	8
	L.	267	2	0

All the above lands belong to one vassal, and are held feu of payment of duties amounting in whole to 5l. 11s. 4d. 8-12ths Sterling. The real rent is upwards of 700l. Sterling. The entry of a singular successor is not taxed, and the lands are presently under sale, so a composition may possibly become soon exigible.

VI.—The Lands of CRAICHIE and CRAICHIE MILL, valued in the cess-books of the county at 225l. 5s. 7d. Scots, and which are held feu for payment of 2l. 15s. 6d. 8-12ths Sterling. The real rent is above 120l. Sterling, and the entry of singular successors is not taxed.

The purchasers of all these superiorities will have the benefit of open charters.

For further particulars application may be made to Messrs Dundas and Robertson, clerks to the signet.

☞ The Superiority of Burnhill of Balbrogie, formerly advertised, is now sold.